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NOTICES.

...ll may concern: ...at a sale of lands ...unty and special ...aw, in the county ...s, on the 26th day ...xes for the year ...d the following ...on block 3, of the ...xed in the name ...that the time ...om said sale will ...e, A. D. 1879. ...FEE, Assignee.

...ncern: ...at at a sale of ...tate, county and ...ance of law, in ...te of Illinois, on ...1877, for the taxes ...e purchased the ... Lot 12, in block ...Decatur, taxed in ...at the time of the ...d sale will expire ...1879. ...FEE, Assignee.

...ay concern: ...hat at a sale of ...county and spec... ...e of law, in the ...of Illinois, on the ...for the taxes for ...e purchased the ... Lot 1, in block ...axed in the name ...time of the re... ...sale will expire ...D. 1879. ...FEE, Assignee.

...ay concern: ...hat at a sale of ...ate, county and ...nce of law, in the ...of Illinois, on the ...for the taxes for ...urchased the fol... ... Lots 3 and 4, in ...orthwest quarter ...e 3 east- 10 36-100 ..., Waggoner, and ...ion thereof from ...26th day of June, ...FEE, Assignee.

SALE.

...it Court. ...Hannah M. Myers, ...E. A. Myers, Elsie ...Myers, Andrew E. ...ers, Benson A. L. ...administrator of ..., John A. Barnes, ...Burr. ...by given, that in ...order entered in ...said court at the ..., John A. Brown, ...court, on ...of April, A. D ...

NOTICE.

...Court at the May ...H. Boggs, Henry ...s. In Chancery ...

SALE.

...it Court. ...Phelen and Mar... ...lose mortgage ... of March A. D ...

...A. BROWN, ...Macon county, Ill. ...or Complainant.

...LE!

...SILVER MINES. ...

Notice.

...United States for ...Illinois. In the ...linger and Aaron ...Bankruptcy. ...

...MAN, Assignee.

SPRING IS AT HAND

J. R. RACE & CO.

Having received a large and well selected stock of

Boys', Youth's and Children's Suits,

At an UNPRECEDENTEDLY LOW PRICE, are prepared to give extra bargains. We have manufactured a Large Line of MEN'S SUITS, and we sell them at prices that DEFY COMPETITION.

OUR HAT DEPARTMENT IS COMPLETE!

Having just received the Latest Nobby Styles.

Our Neckwear and Cents' Furnishing Goods Department

Embraces all the Latest Novelties. Also

White and Fancy Shirts

IN ENDESS VARIETY.

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Continues to be an important factor in our business. We have received a large line of the Latest Styles Suitings, and are prepared to give you a PERFECT FITTING GARMENT at a living price. We are now making

BUSINESS SUITS AT THE LOW PRICE OF $25.00
CASSIMERE PANTS FOR - - - 5.00

And last, but not least, we would call the attention of engineers, firemen, brakemen, etc., to our NOBBY OVERSUITS, at the low price of $1.75.

☞ Examine our stock and prices, and be convinced that we mean what we say.

March 21 d&wtf **J. R. RACE & CO.**

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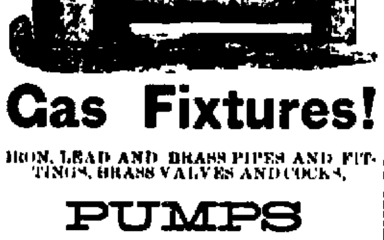

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COFFINS,

Metallic Burial Cases and Caskets.

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June 4-d&wtf

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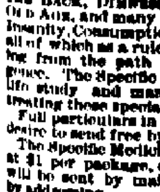

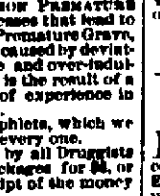

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VAN SCHAACK, STEVENSON & CO., CHICAGO, WHOLESALE AGENTS.
July 4, 1878—d&wly

MEN ... YEARLY

TWO FARMS

FOR SALE

I OFFER FOR SALE 160 ACRES OF well-improved land, with a good house, barn and other buildings, well fenced with pine boards and rails; young orchard. Situated one mile and a quarter west of Argenta, in Friends Creek township, Macon county, Ill., in section 33.

Also, 80 Acres in section 23, well improved, and well tiled. No house on this.

80 Acres in section 21—improved; all in good pasture. This place has on it a house, barn, sheds, good orchard, etc. I will sell the above land on five years' time.

Also, 3 Acres of good timber in section 24—7 acres in section 25.

☞ Call on or address me at the Argenta P. O., Macon county, Ill.
Feb. 21—d&w6w2 HENRY HILBRIGHT.

DECATUR

Vinegar Factory!

WE NOW MANUFACTURE AND HAVE for sale

Pure Cider and White Wine Vinegar
FOR THE TRADE.

We pay Cash for Hard Cider and fallen apples delivered at our Factory opposite our brewery on South Broadway, Decatur, Illinois.

Harpstrite & Schlandeman.
May 8 dly

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FEBRIFUCE
OR
FEVER AND AGUE
CURE.

ERADICATES ALL MALARIAL DISEASES from the SYSTEM.

J. C. RICHARDSON, Prop.,
☞ For Sale by All Druggists. ST. LOUIS.

NOTICE.

The attention of the patrons of the

U. S. EXPRESS CO.

Is called to the

Great Reduction

In its local tariff rates to all points on the Wabash Railway, also to NEW YORK CITY. These rates will be given on application at the office of the Company in this city.

J. W. BASHFORTH, Agent.
Feb. 28-dlmo†

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon Co., Illinois, in favor of Edward Eicholtz and against Elias Stare, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Sixty feet off of the west end of lot No. four (4), in block No. four (4), in Read & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Elias Stare, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon County, in said State, on the 5th day of April, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 12th day of March, A. D. 1879.
M. FORSTMYER,
Mar. 14-d3w Sheriff Macon county, Ill.

PUNISHING AN ELEPHANT.

Thrusting a Red-hot Iron Into Emperor's Trunk.

[New York Sun.]

Emperor is the most vicious, as he is the finest elephant in this country. During the winter months he and his six companions are chained by their hind legs in an outbuilding in the Central park. Boatswain, until the arrival of Emperor, was the pride of all the female elephants, and Gypsy especially loved to caress him with her gentle trunk. But Boatswain once cried out under punishment, and from that hour he lost his place in the respect of his associates, and Gypsy transferred her blandishments to the last comer.

The device of circus men for punishing an elephant is cruel. To the legs of the animal are fastened strong pulleys, which are attached to levers. At a signal the legs are drawn asunder, and the animal sinks down, a mass of helpless, tortured flesh. Then the keepers, armed with long clubs, approach and beat him on the legs and bottoms of the feet. The elephant, during punishment, curls his trunk beneath him and closes his eyes. Hour after hour goes by, sometimes, but the keepers only relax when the elephant either becomes insensible or cries out, which latter is a token of submission and a conquered spirit. Boatswain cried out, and was never again guilty of offense. Emperor, however, has stood this terrible punishment several times, and with such extraordinary nerve that the keepers are afraid of him. He is vicious, and whenever a missile comes within his reach he discharges it at the nearest keeper straightway.

On Monday night Emperor watched one of the attendants whom he particularly dislikes. It was bed time, and the man was making everything snug, when Emperor suddenly turned on him and knocked him down. The keeper screamed as Emperor, with a shrill cry of rage, was on the point of dragging him beneath his feet and stamping him to death. Help came, and the keeper was saved, and then it was determined that Emperor should suffer for what he had done.

The attendants took the long iron poker, with which the fires are stirred, and this they heated red hot. Emperor was bound down in the fashion that has been described, and while one of the keepers held his trunk, the other ran the red-hot poker up into it. The savage punishment nearly blinded Emperor, but he did not squeal. He looked sullenly all the time at his keepers. Since then the elephant has been unable to eat, and stands alone and sullen, slapping his horribly mutilated trunk wherever there is a cool spot in the shed. The men call this the extreme punishment, and say that it has never been applied before in this country. It was not strong enough to subdue Emperor.

Facts that we Know.

If you are suffering with a severe cough, cold, asthma, bronchitis, consumption, loss of voice, tickling in the throat, or any affection of the throat or lungs, *we know* that DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY will give you immediate relief. We know of hundreds of cases it has completly cured, and that where all other medicines had failed. No other remedy can show one half as many *permanent cures*. Now to give you satisfactory proof that DR. KING'S NEW DISCOVERY *will cure* you of Asthma, Bronchitis, Hay Fever, Consumption, severe Coughs and Colds, Hoarseness, or any Throat or Lung disease, if you will call at Hubbard & Swearingen's Drug Store we will give you a trial bottle *free of cost*, or a regular size bottle for $1 00. 2

W. F. Busher & Co.'s is the place to get your boots and shoes made to order, at greatly reduced prices—every pair warranted to fit. BOOTS—Calf, Morocco, Kangaroo and Kid, plain or tongue, hand-sewed, $9 00; pegged, plain box or French toes, $6.00 to $7 00. SHOES—Buckle, Alexis, Congress, and Libby patent, and all the latest styles to suit. The ladies are particularly requested to examine our fine stock of fancy shoes and walking shoes, all kinds, ranging in price from $1.00 to that of the finest kid—button and embossed, latest styles. NOVELTIES—Our basket cloth top, in all colors, and nickel-plated heels.
Feb. 26—d&w3m

The Comfort Patent Corset—Bortree's Adjustable, Foy's Supporter, Moody's Abdominal, Glove Fitting, Hundred Bones, together with the best and cheapest French Corsets in the city, at
Jan. 23-d&wtf LINN & SCRUGGS'.

Ladies, Take Notice!—We have just received and placed on sale the largest, best and cheapest stock of Ladies' walking shoes ever offered in this market.—You are respectfully invited to call and examine quality and price.
Feb. 11-d&wtf BARBER & BAKER.

Wanted.—A home for a young girl nine years old, to be taken and raised as a member of the family. For information address P. O. Drawer 431, Decatur, Ill., or call at this office. [mar14 d2w

Notice to Tax-payers—The time for payment of personal property tax has expired. My books must be returned.—Please call at my office, corner of Water and Prairie streets. W. W. FOSTER,
12-d10d Collector.

B. STINE,
THE BOSS CLOTHIER!

Can show you the most Elegant Assortment of

Youth's Clothing!

For Stylish Young Men's Trade, of any House in the City, and

Not Surpassed in Style,

Style of Cutting, Trimmings,

And Price by any House in the United States

If you don't believe it, convince yourself by looking through the stores of our competitors, notice the fit and general style of theirs, and then come around and see ours, and we will leave it to your own judgment.

OUR SPRING STOCK!

IN ALL ITS BRANCHES COMPLETE.

Our Merchant Tailoring Department

A PERFECT SUCCESS,

As the many Suits we are turning out furnish the evidence.

WILSON BROS.' SHIRTS!

MADE TO ORDER AND IN STOCK.

We are not ashamed to mention Our Prices, but wish you to remember that

WE DEFY COMPETITION.

B. STINE,
THE "BOSS CLOTHIER."
March 21—dtf

CLOSING OUT!

Having concluded to make a change in my business, I have determined to

CLOSE OUT

My Large and Well Selected Stock of

STOVES
—AND—
HARDWARE!
—AT—
GREATLY REDUCED PRICES.

Call Soon and Secure Bargains.

All persons indebted to me will please call and settle and save cost.

R. C. CROCKER,
No. 9 Water Street.
Nov. 27, 1878—d&wtf

At Cost! At Cost!

Yes, We are Going West,

And while we remain in Decatur, which will be but a few weeks, we will sell all goods in our line, consisting of

Men's, Youth's and Boys'

CLOTHING!

Hats' and Furnishing Goods,

At First Cost,

In order to reduce our stock for shipment. All persons knowing themselves indebted to us, are requested to call immediately and settle their accounts. W mean what we say.
Respectfully,
ELLIOTT & ANDERSON.
March 21—d&wtf

SURE REMEDY FOR BALDNESS. Prescription Free to any person who will agree to pay $1 when a new growth of Hair, Whiskers or Mustaches is actually produced. SANDERSON & CO., 2 Clinton Place, New York. Nov1sw5w

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BUTCHERS
—AND—
PACKERS.

- A NEW STOCK OF -

SMOKED AND CURED

MEATS.

WEST SIDE OF THE OLD SQUARE

We have on hand a choice lot of Sugar Cured Hams at 10 cents per pound; Sugar-Cured Shoulders at 7 cents per pound; Lard at 8 cts. per pound, Sliced Hams at 15 cents per pound.

Breakfast Bacon, Dried Beef, Bologna and Lard at Wholesale and Retail.

FRESH MEATS

Of all kinds on hand. We kill only first-class stock. Feb18 78d1yl.

J. J. PEDDECORD. L. BURROWS. WM. M. BOYD.

BANKING HOUSE
— OF —
PEDDECORD, BURROWS & CO.,
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MONEY TO LOAN

IN VARIOUS SUMS ON THE

Most Favorable Terms,

Secured by Mortgage on Real Estate.

We keep a supply of

GOVERNMENT BONDS!

On hand at all times, which we will sell at the

LOWEST MARKET RATES.

☞ A general Banking Business transacted, but no interest paid on deposits.
Jan. 7—d&w3mos

Redemption Notice.

To Joseph Greiser, or whom it may concern:

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B. K. Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Lot 15, in block 1, in William Martin's first addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Joseph Greiser, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879.
March 17—d3w J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

Cheap Charley

ONE PRICE ONLY. No Misrepresentation.

THE "POOR MAN'S FRIEND."

THE ONLY RETAIL CLOTHING HOUSE IN CENTRAL ILLINOIS WHICH MANUFACTURES ITS OWN CLOTHING.

OPENING OF THE SPRING SEASON 1879.

Our Stock is now in Tip-Top Shape, and will be kept so till the End of the Season, by Weekly Fresh Arrivals from our Factory in Chicago.

Our increasing business is not owing to any particular circumstances or good fortune, but to earnest attention and personal supervision of our customers' wants, and the close, sharp prices at which we sell our Goods.

IN ADDITION TO OUR LARGE AND VARIED STOCK OF

GOODS FOR MEN'S WEAR!

WE SHALL ADD STILL GREATER ATTRACTIONS, MORE NUMEROUS BARGAINS, and CONTRAST BONA FIDE VALUES, TO SURPASS ANYTHING IN THE MARKET.

Call at Once and See OUR NEW STYLES, and Learn OUR NEW PRICES.

Which are really so low that we are nearly ashamed to mention them

CHEAP CHARLEY.

KAUFMAN & BACHRACH, Decatur, Ill. Factory in Chicago.
March 11 d&wtf

THEY ARE COMING DAILY

New Spring Goods

— AT —

THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

ALL DEPARTMENTS ARE FILLED UP WITH THE

LATEST AND CHOICEST STYLES

OF

SPRING GOODS.

Prices will be Lower than Ever.

☞ TERMS CASH. ☜

CALL AT

THEODORE A. GEHRMANN'S.
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AFTER 40 YEARS

Of steadily increasing popularity, it may be justly claimed that *Procter & Gamble's Extra Olive Soap* deserves its well earned reputation for PURE QUALITY and HONEST WEIGHT. *Procter & Gamble's* long experience since 1837, and their attention to the manufacture, combined with careful selection of materials used, insures to housekeepers an article *for the old economy.* It is a superior laundry and general household use. It is cut in one pound bars of convenient shape and each bar wrapped in red paper. Both wrapper and soap bear the name of *PROCTER & GAMBLE EXTRA OLIVE*. It is sold everywhere at the price of ordinary Soap. A trial is respectfully solicited.

—THE GENUINE—

SINGER SEWING MACHINES!

ALSO,—

TUCK MARKERS, RUFFLERS,
HEMMERS, BINDERS,

BOX AND KNIFE PLAITERS, CASTERS, &c.,

In fact, everything for any kind of Sewing Machines.

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED & WARRANTED

—AT THE—

SINGER OFFICE,
OPPOSITE THE POST-OFFICE.

Jan. 9, 1879—d&wtf **GEO. P. BLUME.**

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DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 25, 1879

Republican Township Ticket.

For Supervisor,
WM B CHAMBERS

Assistant Supervisors,
JASON ROGERS
DAVID L HUGHES

Collector
WM W FOSTER

Town Clerk,
GEO P HARDY

Assessor
FRED J SMITH

Commissioner of Highways
CHAS M CALDWELL

Poundmaster
JASON KITCHEN

WHAT THEY FEED ON

A few days ago Mr James Hollinger, one of our best known colored citizens, sent a postal card to the editor of the Okolona (Miss) *States*, asking for a specimen copy of that paper He did not get the paper, but received the following letter from the editor

OKOLONA, Miss March 21, '79

JAS HOLLINGER Esq

My Dear Sir —Your postal at hand We make it a rule *not* to send out specimen copies of the *States* a fact that we have sought to thoroughly advertise throughout Yankeedom The demand for sample copies is simply enormous—unprecedented in the history of journals outside the larger cities, and we can always readily dispose of our extra papers in this place

The *States* is a straight out Secession Democratic paper, and *popular* at that Terms —$2 00 per year, $1 00 for six months I hope that you will find it to your interest to subscribe

Inclosed I send you one of my revolutionary ballads

Thine, for Jefferson Davis and the Right,
WILL H KERNAN

The revolutionary ballad which the editor of this popular "straight out Secession Democratic paper" alludes to is given below, to show the kind of political food upon which the readers of the *States* delight to feast

GRANT!

BY WILL H KERNAN

Shall tan yard tippler from the West
Assume the crown that Cæsar wore,
And place a new imperial crest
Upon the flag our fathers bore?
Speak! Shall he wrest from you and me
The liberty that is our boast?
Nay! nay! By all the Powers that Be
By Father, Son and Holy Ghost,
By the pure, patriot blood that streamed
In 70 campaigns and he lights,
By the proud patriot swer that gleamed
In all our grand, triumphant fights
We swear to keep our powder dry,
Our rifles close at hand until
He in his wickedness defy
The mandate of the public will
When this shall be our battle cry
KILL!

Aye, kill the tyrant, and thus say
Full many a life full many a bosom
Just as the Brutus, high and brave,
In the old matchless days of Rome
Killed Cæsar in his triumph hour
To wrest the soil from slavery
And bade the bright, consummate flower
Of Freedom bloom from sea to sea
Then let the Bloody Boss take heed
Nor trifle with forbidden things,
For We, the People, have decreed
WE NEVER WILL SUBMIT TO KINGS
We swear to keep our powder dry,
Our rifles close at hand, until
He in his wickedness defy
The mandate of the public will
When this shall be our battle cry
"KILL!"

MAJOR J W. WILKIN.

The announcement of Major J. W Wilkin, of Clark county, is a candidate for circuit judge, appears in another column Major Wilkin was a candidate against Judge Nelson two years ago and though defeated on that occasion he made many friends who will be glad to give him their support this time He is a comparative stranger to our people, but where he is known he enjoys a very high reputation as a lawyer, a citizen and a gentleman Politically he is a Republican and showed his devotion to his country by serving three years in the army during the late war He is recognized by his brethren of the bar as one of the ablest lawyers in southeastern Illinois, and everybody who knows him acknowledges his high character and integrity He has all the requirements necessary in a judge, and is in the prime of life and vigor He would highly adorn the bench, and there is a very good chance for him to be one of the three successful candidates

THE Washington *Republican* does not believe the stories that President Hayes is weakening in his opposition to the seditious attempt to open the way for complete Bourbon restoration in the government Pursuing the subject, the *Republican* says, "And we add, without the violation of any confidence, that a majority, if not every member of his Cabinet, is in favor of a retention of these laws upon the statute books The man, or party of men, who count upon any weakness in or about the Executive Mansion pending the existing emergency will be sadly mistaken"

HON GEORGE SCROGGS, of Champaign, whose nomination as consul at Hamburg was not confirmed by the senate previous to its adjournment owing to want of time, has been renominated by the president, and will in all probability be confirmed.

Gents' Shawls.—Very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs. dec3d&wtf

PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

March Regular Term, 1879.

Board of Supervisors of Macon county in session for the transaction of county business at the court house, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on Monday the 10th day of March, A D 1879

Hon R H Woodcock in the chair—Present H W Waggoner, clerk, Martin Forstmyer, sheriff

Court opened by proclamation

The following named members were present and answered to their names, viz Brown, Davis, Dill, Edgar, Garver, Hill, Hawkyard, House, Hoyt, Lehman, Longstreet, McNabb, Manecke, Roberts, Shellabarger, Vangundy, Ward and Wallace

Proceedings of the last two days of the December term, 1878, were read and approved by the Board

Supr Roberts offered the following, which was adopted

WHEREAS, At the time that John Dinneen, the Coroner of Macon county, was assaulted and robbed, and also a county order of the amount of $19 25, was taken from him at the same time, which he has been unable to find therefore

Resolved, That the clerk of the Board be authorized and instructed to issue to said John Dinneen a duplicate order for that amount, taking his receipt for the same

Supr Lehman offered the following, which was adopted

WHEREAS The custom has heretofore been of supplying the members of the bar and the court room during the term of circuit court with stationery for the transacting of their private business, therefore be it

Resolved, That hereafter the sheriff of Macon county be and he is instructed not to furnish at the expense of the county any more stationery for the use of the members of the bar during the terms of court

A communication from John N Randall, the county physician, was received and read in which he stated that some needed improvements were necessary to be made at the county house, in regard to the building in which the insane paupers are kept, and the sewerage of the same, etc

On motion the same was placed on file

The special committee appointed at the December meeting of the Board, to contract for the rebinding of the collector's books in the county clerk's office, made the following report, which was approved by the Board and the committee were discharged

To the Hon Board of Supervisors Your committee appointed to see to rebinding the collector's books of each township, met at the county clerk's office Jan 3, 79, to receive bids for same, viz Towling [of] Decatur, bid $1 75 per volume, Rokker, of Springfield $3 50 per volume, and the Illinois Printing Co, of Danville $1 00 per volume, your committee awarded the contract to the Danvill Printing Co and we find that the work has been completed according to contract

All of which is respectfully submitted

R H HILL,
A HAWKYARD,
A T DAVIS,
Committee

Supr Lehman offered the following, which was adopted

WHEREAS, Believing that the present manner of supporting the poor and paupers of Decatur township is very expensive to the taxpayers of the county, therefore be it

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to investigate and see if there cannot be some kind of a supply house established where the poor can be supplied with food and clothing much cheaper than the present mode of supplying them, and to report to the next meeting of this Board

The Board appointed as said committee Suprs Lehman, Shellabarger and Brown

The accounts against the county which have been filed with the clerk, were distributed to the proper committees

On motion of Supr Dill the Board adjourned until 9 o clock to morrow morning

Board met pursuant to adjournment Hon R H Woodcock in the chair

Court opened by proclamation

Supervisors present, same as yesterday

The reading of yesterday's proceedings dispensed with

Supr Ward offered the following which was adopted

Resolved, That the supervisor of the town of Illini purchase railroad tickets for Mrs Palmer and children a poor family of his town, and see that they are sent to their friends in Kansas

Supr Hoyt offered the following, which was adopted

Resolved, That the supervisor of the town of Macon remove to the county farm a poor family in his town by the name of Eberhart, and upon refusing to be so removed, that the supervisor refuse to furnish any more aid at the expense of the county

Ald H B Durfee, Chairman of the Finance Committee of the city of Decatur, appeared before the Board and made a statement to the effect that the city of Decatur had advanced one hundred and fifty eight dollars in trying to apprehend and bring to justice the party or parties who assaulted and robbed Coroner John Dinneen, and inasmuch as Coroner Dinneen is not a resident within the limits of the city of Decatur, and is an officer of the county and not of the city government, and in justice to the taxpayers of the city the county should refund at least the one half of the amount so expended

On motion of Supr Lehman that the county refund $79 so expended by the city of Decatur Said motion met with a second and was adopted

On motion that B D Osborn be allowed $7 expenses incurred in bringing prisoners from Macon to Decatur, and also attending court as a witness in the case of the People vs said prisoners

The following named persons were selected by the Board to serve as Grand Jurors at the May term of the Macon Co Circuit Court, to be held on the second Monday of May, A D 1879

Wm A Barnes, L F Muzzy, Andrew Dennis and Henry Cassell, Decatur, Wm E Gouge Harristown James Barnett, Sr Whitmore V D Ross Friends Creek, D S Allen, Illini, L S Colby, South Macon, J L Hight do, James Gordy, Niantic A G Benton, Hickory Point, N A Brown Blue Mound, W W Falconer South Wheatland, Wm S Parr, Mt Zion, Wyatt T Cherry, Pleasant View, Thos B Campbell, Austin, Philip Moser Milam, P J Casner, Oakley, James A Myers and A Herman, Long Creek, Sam'l Potter and J W Persinger, Maroa

The Supt of the county farm made the following report of moneys received and expended by him since his last report to this Board, which was approved by the Board

To the Hon Board of Supervisors of Macon county Your Supt of the County Farm begs leave to submit the following report

To am't on hand at last report,	$49 54	
" " of Shellabarger for oats,	51 05	$100 59
By am't paid for shipping paupers,	34 70	
By am't paid for repairing spring wagon,	19 25	
Same for repairing pumps,	1 75	
Same for clover seed, $7 50, hired man, 60c,	8 10	
Same for butter, 70c, books, $1 65, machine needles, 25c,	2 60	
Same for ten days services as Supt of farm,	25 00	
Same for 2 days services on com,	5 00	
Same in my hands due county,	14 29	—$100 59

No. of paupers at the county farm, March 10, 1879, 23.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

P F LEHMAN, Supt

The special committee appointed by the Board to employ and contract with some person as Steward of the county farm for one year, and also to contract for the services of a physician to render medical aid to paupers, made the following report and submitted the following contract entered into by them, which were approved by the Board

To the Hon Board of Supervisors of Macon County

Your committee appointed at the December meeting, 1878, of this board to employ a steward for the county farm, for one year from March 1, 1879, and also to employ a physician to render medical aid to the paupers at the poor farm, paupers in the township of Decatur, and prisoners in county jail, for one year from January 1, 1879—beg leave to report

That they have employed the services of Wm J Magee, as steward for the coming year, at a salary of eight hundred dollars a year, payable quarterly in a county order, and have entered into contract between said Magee and Macon county

They would also report that they have employed Dr John N. Randall as physician, at a salary of six hundred dollars a year, payable quarterly in county order, and that they have entered into contract with said Randall

Said contracts are on file in County Clerk's office Resp'y submitted,

HIRAM WARD,
J N HOYT,
BENJ DILL,
JAS W BROWN,
E J ROBERTS,
} Com

CONTRACT WITH STEWARD OF POOR FARM

Article of Agreement, Made and entered into this the 28th day of February, 1879, between the County of Macon, in the State of Illinois, of the first part, and William J Magee of the second part, to wit The party of the first part have employed the party of the second part for the following purposes and upon the following condition, viz

The party of the second part does hereby agree that himself and family will take possession of the poor farm, poor house, and paupers of Macon county on the first day of March, 1879, and devote his entire time and labor in working and managing said farm for the term of one year from said first day of March, 1879, and take good care of said farm and the property thereon, or that may be put on during his term of services And the said party of the second part does agree to account for and deliver up to the said party of the first part all property that may come into his hands and belonging to Macon county at the expiration of his term of services less what may be consumed or disposed of by the party of the first part And the said party of the second part further agrees to take charge of all paupers on said farm or that may be sent there by proper authority, to keep them clean and provide for their necessary wants, and treat them in a kind and humane manner, and get what work out of them that they are able to perform, the same to be applied on the farm for the benefit of the County, and the said party of the second part to furnish the labor of his wife in managing the paupers and farm without any other consideration than that hereinafter expressed, and that himself and his wife will devote their entire time and labor in managing and working said farm and taking care of said paupers and to use economy, diligence and care in managing said farm for the best interest of the County, and to carry out and execute any order made by the Board of Supervisors or their constituted agent from time to time, in anything relating to or in anywise pertaining to the management of farm and paupers, also to furnish all beds, bedding and other household furniture necessary for himself and family

In the consideration of the foregoing agreement, the party of the first part does agree to furnish poor farm and the poor house for the occupancy of the people of the second part, his family and the paupers of Macon county, and to furnish all necessary teams, implements and labor to carry on said farm in a good and workmanlike manner (excepting what the party of the second part has herein agreed to do) and to pay the party of the second part the sum of Eight Hundred ($800 00) Dollars in four equal payments, in county orders, to wit On the first day of June, September, and December 1879 and on the first day of March, 1880 And the said party of the second part does hereby bind himself to give possession of said property at the end of his term of service or at any time if he shall fail to perform the obligations herein made by him if the party of the first part shall demand possession of him

In witness whereof we have hereunto set our hands and seals the day and year above written

HIRAM WARD [Seal]
J N HOYT [Seal]
E J ROBERTS [Seal]
BENJ DILL [Seal]
JAS W BROWN [Seal]
W J MAGEE [Seal]

CONTRACT WITH PHYSICIAN

This Article of Agrement, made and entered into at Decatur, Illinois, this 31st day of December, 1878, by and between John N Randall, party of the first part, and Macon county, State of Illinois, party of the second part, *Witnesseth*, That the party of the first part hereby agrees to professionally visit the sick in the alms house on the poor farm, all paupers in Decatur township, both resident and transient, and any poor person who is a citizen of the county, and when in the city of Decatur is taken sick or meets with an accident, are to be treated as long as they remain in said city, and all who may need medical aid who take sick while traveling through said town, and all prisoners in the county jail chargeable to Macon county, for and during the year 1879, and to prescribe and furnish for said paupers poor persons and prisoners all medicines and stimulants which may be necessary for their relief, and to perform all surgical operations which may be required and also to pay all consultation fees of other physicians in cases where they are called in by said county physician, and to make a visit once a week to the county house and jail, even if there is no sickness, and if at any time I am called upon to render treatment to a pauper or prisoner, and am not at the time engaged in visiting or treating persons required by this contract, and some other physician is called upon to treat said pauper or prisoner, I agree to pay for said treatment so rendered, or allow the county to deduct the same from my salary.

For and in consideration of the faithful performance of all the above requirements agreed to be performed by the said party of the first part, the county, through its committee appointed to employ a physician, have agreed to pay six hundred dollars ($600) a year, payable quarterly, *provided*, the board of supervisors of said county, at their meeting in March, 1879, approve of this contract

In witness whereof, we have set our hands and seals the day and year first above written

J N RANDALL, M D
HIRAM WARD,
J N HOYT,
E J. ROBERTS,
BENJ DILL,
JAS W BROWN,
} Com

Supervisor Shellabarger offered the following, which was adopted

Resolved, That the chairman of the committee on public buildings be, and he is hereby authorized to have repaired the ceiling in the circuit clerk's office

Supervisor Davis offered the following, which was adopted

Resolved, By the board of supervisors of Macon county, That all paupers which are now supported by the county by a contract be taken to the poor farm, where they properly belong, otherwise they cease to receive support from the county

On motion of Supervisor Edgar the board adjourned until one o'clock, p m

Board met pursuant to adjournment Present as on forenoon

The committee on paupers and poor farm made the following report which was received and adopted by the board

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Macon county

Your committee on pauper and poor farm claims would beg leave to report that they have examined all claims presented before them, and recommend the payment of the following, and that the clerk be directed to issue orders for the several amounts to the several claimants, to wit

S B. Pratt, groceries for paupers by order of supervisor,	$ 51 50
D H Hollman,	80 75
Chas. Buttenhorn,	7 50
J M. Witzeman,	1 50
B Drew,	1 50
Fred Wedel,	60 75
Geo W Strohm,	65 00
S G Washburn,	4 40
Henry Lyon,	95 00
John Dinneen,	47 50
J T Denton,	18 00
Hight & Bro,	9 40
H B Dewis,	91 00
F J Smith,	19 50
W H Reeme,	72 00
Hill & Blankenship,	16 53
Seiberling Bros,	42 55
Barnes & Bro,	26 50
J G Shea,	32 50
May & Bro	106 60
John Washburn,	13 50
A F Gebhart,	1 50
Wm Niedermyer	57 00
Hickle Bros,	4 85
S R Gher,	15 90
J B, Lichtenberger,	18 05
Gepford, Jacobson & Co,	2 50
P L Vantleve,	1 65
H B Smith,	11 00
I M Gill,	5 50
Young Bros,	58 25
" " groceries for paupers at poor farm by order of Supr, $43 H allowed,	27 64
Wm W Foster, money advanced on orders to paupers for groceries by Supr	35 50
Norman Falling, coal for paupers by order of Supr,	11 63
Niles & Bradley, same,	8 48
J H Vennigerholz same,	156 40
J P Farris, same,	8 05
I N Leavitt, same,	4 00
D N Dunlap, "	8 05
B B Tuttle, wood,	106 50
M Troutman, same	29 75
F W Nicholson, same,	27 75
John B Huff "	12 00
D S Shellabarger & Co, flour for poor farm by order of Supt,	62 25
J D Lucas, meat for poor farm paupers by order of Supr,	2 15
I W Kyle, same	8 00
Riverton Coal Co, coal for paupers and poor farm, by order Supr	13 90
L L Ferriss, shoes for paupers by Supr,	10 25
Dillinger & Son, shoes, etc,	3 30
R V Miller shoes,	16 50
Geo I Wessels shoes,	6 05
Barber & Baker, shoes	14 85
W F Busher, shoes,	67 25
Linn & Scruggs, dry goods for paupers by order Supr	22 15
Linn & Scruggs, dry goods for poor farm by order Supt,	44 07
Roach & McReynolds, dry goods for paupers by order Supr,	22 63
Jos Sautter & Co, same,	1 88
J C Ruddock & Co dry goods and groceries for paupers by order Supr,	18 13
A W Leavitt, shoes and groceries for paupers by order Supr,	8 50
J R Race & Co, clothing do	30 80
Jno Ulrich groceries for poor farm by order Supt,	64 07
I W Ehrman, clothing for paupers and prisoners by order Supr,	1 95
E S Auguste & Co coffins and burying paupers by order Supr, $87 allowed,	84 00
J N Keefer, same,	8 00
C S Lewis same,	9 00
J H Clough, same, $9 allowed	8 00
L Lozer, medical attention to paupers, by order Supr,	10 75
Frank Heinz same,	4 00
S G Allison, same,	10 00
C A McLean same,	10 00
Wm Sturgis, "	20 00
A D Bridgman, same,	14 25
J T Connelly same, $18 allowed,	14 00
Joseph Leslie " $22, allowed	11 50
A Richmond " $75 85 allowed	64 85
C F Dennisy, " $44 75 allowed,	17 81
A C Sahin, " $13 50 allowed,	16 75
B F Sibley, medical attention to paupers per contract for December,	50 00
J N Randall same for Jan and Feb,	100 00
A R Small, medical attention to paupers, $4 laid over	
Jos Cobb, same, $18 rejected	
J L Fenton & Co, goods for prisoners at poor farm,	8 20
Close & Griswold, hardware for poor farm,	18 90
Theo Hildebrandt, oil, carbolic acid brushes, etc, for poor farm,	18 05
A J Stoner, medicine for paupers by order of Supr,	1 00
Spooner & Sprague, same,	11 40
James A Ellis,	14 55
J H Lewis & Co, queensware for poor farm by order of Supt,	30 45
A Kramer, blacksmithing same,	1 50
Kramer & McClelland, blacksmithing, do,	9 00
Hospital for Insane, clothing for county patients in hospital,	71 00
Cass Chenoweth, services in holding inquest while acting Coroner, $65, allowed	44 00
John Dinneen, services in holding inquest as acting Coroner,	13 00

[Concluded to-morrow.]

PUBLISHED TESTIMONY establishes the fact that SCOVILL'S BLOOD AND LIVER SYRUP is a sterling remedy for scrofulous and syphilitic disorders of a formidable type Also that it cures white swelling, carbuncles, eruptive maladies of all kinds, gout and rheumatism It moreover promotes a secretion and flow of healthy bile and directs it into the proper channels The deplorable ailments produced by mercury are also remedied by it Sold by S M Irwin, the live druggist

March 22-u&w1w

CALL and see those new sandal slippers, at Montgomery & Co's, No 24 Merchant street [March 14 d1w w1m

You can get a kid or pebble side lace shoe at Challis Bros' for $1 25 we allow no house to undersell us P O Block

March 20—d3t

Try a sack of Shellabarger's "White Loaf"—new patent process flour

Dec 18—d&wtf

Howard & Ferguson make the best mattresses, of all kinds in the city

Feb 10—dtf

Bed Ticks filled with straw or husks, by Howard & Ferguson jan10dtf

See those new spring styles Ladies Shoes and Slippers, at Ferriss' Shoe Store

Jan 25-d&wtf

Furniture Repaired—By Brown Bros, at their shop, corner of west Eldorado and Monroe streets, opposite F W Nudernyer's grocery store We work cheap, give us your patronage

March 3 d1mo*

Abel & Locke are now receiving their immense stock of carpets, of the latest and most beautiful patterns Choice lace goods gilt and wood cornices, lambrequin goods of all styles, and wall paper in endless varieties of patterns, all at lower prices than ever offered in this market before [22-d4w1

One hundred doz. ladies and childrens' hose, at 5 cents a pair, just received by LINN & SCRUGGS m19d&wtf

Fine Ecru Muslin for ladies' underwear, at Linn & Scruggs'

Nov 27-d&wtf

TELEGRAPHIC

WASHINGTON.

Interesting Debate in the Senate.

Shocking Affair in Missouri.

TRIAL OF TALMAGE

WASHINGTON, March 24—A very able and interesting debate ensued in the Senate to day on the motion of Mr Wallace to proceed to the election of officers of the Senate The Democrats anticipated no opposition to the resolution, and were taken by surprise when Mr Anthony, in behalf of the Republican side, protested against such action, and in a very careful speech showed how the Republicans had continued Democrats in office, and had never presumed to make a wholesale removal officers. There were officers of over forty years' service now in the employ of the Senate, and these men are now to be turned out Mr Anthony was followed by Messrs Hamlin, Conkling and others, all directing attention to the fact that old and experienced officers are to be removed, not for cause, but to enable the Democrats to provide places for members of their own party. Messrs. Wallace, Bayard and others spoke in reply, and in defense of the proposed notion by the Democrats The Democrats had the worst of the debate, and were greatly irritated at the speeches, especially of Mr Conkling who, in his peculiar way, held up the Democrats as great civil service reformers At half past 2 o'clock the debate was still running

SEDALIA, Mo, March 24—A shocking affair was enacted Saturday night in the neighborhood of Bethlehem Church, Boone county James Rowland, a well to do bachelor farmer, had his niece, Miss Julia Rowland, keeping house for him Sunday morning his brother came on a visit and found the doors bolted and the windows fastened, and hearing the groans inside, forced open the door and found his brother in a pool of blood, a revolver by his side and a bullet hole in his head On the bed lay Miss Rowland dead, with a photograph by her side, on which was written "Dear sister, I have taken poison and am going to my long and happy home Please forgive me for this" Rowland is still alive, but refuses to give any reason for the terrible affair A rumor is current that Miss Rowland's lover was not acceptable to her uncle, and rather than suffer separation, took poison, and that Rowland viewing the sad consequences, attempted to take his own life

NEW YORK, March 24—Rev De Witt Talmage appeared for trial this evening before the Brooklyn Presbytery The principal charges were falsehood and deceit He pleaded not guilty Dr Spear, his counsel, moved to quash the principal specifications, as they failed to indicate time or place After a warm debate, the Moderator granted the motion to strike out the specifications Talmage then demanded an investigation upon these very charges The people wanted to know if they were true If they were not investigated he would appeal to the Kings county grand jury He would waive all technicalities, and show he had done no wrong It was finally decided to try Talmage on all the specifications.

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S

Dec 18—d&wtf

"AUNT POLLY BASSET'S"

"Singin Skewl!"

A Humorous Yankee Character

ENTERTAINMENT

WITH FULL CHORUS,

AT THE

TABERNACLE,

MONDAY & TUESDAY EVENINGS,

March 24th and 25th.

Admission, 35 cents
Children 25 "

March 18—d7t

OPERA HOUSE.

N T PADDOCK, - - - Manager

One Night Only.

WEDNESDAY EVE., MARCH 26.

The World-Renowned Favorite,

Maggie Mitchell,

Supported by

CAPT. WILLIAM HARRIS

And a specially selected

DRAMATIC COMPANY!

In her beautiful play,

LORLE!

Produced with care and every attention to detail

Reserved Seats, $1 00, general admission, 75 cents, gallery, 50 cents. Seats for sale Saturday, March 22, at W H Abbott's jewelry store.

W T ELLIOTT, Business Manager

March 21—d5d

WE TO-DAY OPEN 10 CASES OF

NEW SPRING GOODS!

1 case of the handsomest Marseilles Quilts for the price ever shown in the city.

1000 pieces of beautiful Embroideries, from 2c to 25c, both white and colored.

1 case of grey twilled Mohair.

1 case of pure black Mohairs at 30c; former price 50c; one of the greatest bargains ever offered.

3 cases of new Prints at 5c, as pretty as they make them.

Muslins, Shirtings, Sheetings and all Domestic Goods in large quantities, and at lower prices than ever before.

Do not fail to see our new Embroiderd Extension Corset, they "are a daisy."

Our 5c Counter is again loaded with Novelties.

HAYS & BARTHOLOMEW.

NO. 85 WATER STREET

Feb 24 d&wly

L. L. FERRISS,

Proprietor of the

Only One-Price Boot & Shoe House in Decatur

I am receiving my Spring Stock of BOOTS and SHOES, have contracted for a larger stock than ever before, and am preparing for a Big Spring Campaign, with more facilities for doing business than in former years. I have marked my entire stock down to present gold basis, and am putting lower prices on my New Spring Goods than ever was known even before the war. All my goods are custom work, and warranted. I will sell at one price, marking my goods at the uniform low per cent, treating every person and their money with uniform and just consideration. My New Spring Stock embraces all the new improvements, every variety of style, and many special makes, for which I have the exclusive sale in Decatur; among them are BURT'S REYNOLDS', REED AND WEAVER'S, and the NEW STYLE GENTS' SHOE.

L. L. FERRISS.

N B My new store across the street and next door east of Millikin & Co's Bank can be got ready for me before about June first, as I have to do so much work on it to fix it exactly right for my business Will run both stores from June 1st until Jan 1st 1880, when will vacate the old store Object of changing is to get a larger store for my business, and in a location more convenient for my customers feb28d&wtf

GRAND

Spring Opening

—OF—

Baby Carriages

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Sleeping Coaches

Newest Styles

—AT—

LIDDLE'S,

Court House Block.

March 8-d&wtf

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A D 1879

Samuel K Kills vs Fidelia E Spangler, Mary Herrington, Susan Hudson, Daniel Spangler Allie Spangler, Jefferson Spangler Nellie Spangler, Fannie Spangler, Minnie Spangler John W Spangler, Jasper J Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees, James D Fait administrator Frank Bowman, Kilburn H Roby and Martin P. Murphy In Chancery

AFFIDAVIT that Mary Herrington Daniel Spangler, Susan Hudson, Nellie Spangler Fannie Spangler and Jefferson Spangler are not residents of the State of Illinois, and upon diligent inquiry their place of residence cannot be ascertained, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, Notice is hereby given to the said Mary Herrington, Daniel Spangler Susan Hudson Nellie Spangler Fannie Spangler and Jefferson Spangler that the complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons has issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the 2d Monday of May, A D. 1879, as is by law required while cause is now pending and undetermined in said court E McCLELLAN, Clerk

ROBY, OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors.

March 25—d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, } ss
Macon County, }

In the Circuit Court, May Term, A D 1879

Marie de F Harney vs Fidelia E Spangler Mary Herrington, Susan Hudson, Daniel Spangler, Allie Spangler Jefferson Spangler Nellie Spangler, Fannie Spangler, Minnie Spangler, John W Spangler, Jasper J Peddecord and Lowber Burrows, trustees Frank Bowman, Kilburn H Roby, Martin P Murphy Mary Connelly, and James D Fait administrator In Chancery

AFFIDAVIT that Mary Herrington Daniel Spangler, Susan Hudson, Nellie Spangler Fannie Spangler, Jefferson Spangler and Mary Connelly are not residents of the State of Illinois, and upon diligent inquiry their place of residence, save as to said Mary Connelly cannot be ascertained having been filed in the office of the clerk of said Circuit Court of Macon county, Notice is hereby given to the said Mary Herrington, Daniel Spangler Susan Hudson, Nellie Spangler, Jefferson Spangler and Mary Connolly, that the complainant has filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons has issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable at the Court House in Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday May, A D 1879, as is by law required which cause is now pending and undetermined in said court E McCLELLAN, Clerk

ROBY, OUTTEN & VAIL, Solicitors.

March 25 d4w

Redemption Notice.

To A S Bailey, or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A D 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit Lot seven (7), in block two (2), in Forstmyer's Addition to the city of Decatur, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June A D 1879

O B GORIN

March 14—d3w

Redemption Notice.

To Lucinda Carter, or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A D 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B K Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit Lot one, in block J, of the Southwestern Addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Lucinda Carter, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A D 1879.

March 17—d3w J. H DURFEE, Assignee

Redemption Notice.

To Joseph Greiser, or whom it may concern

You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 26th day of June, A. D 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, B K Durfee purchased the following described lot, to-wit Lot 16, in block 1 in William S Martin's first addition to Decatur, taxed in the name of Joseph Greiser, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the 26th day of June, A. D. 1879

March 17—d3w J H DURFEE, Assignee

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J. H. DURFEE, Assignee.

The Daily Republican.

TUESDAY EVENING MARCH 25, 1879.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

WANTED—A situation as clerk in a store by a young man. First-class references. Apply at this office.

TRADE DOLLARS taken at par at the New Cheap Store, No. 14 Merchant street.

ALL kinds of upholstering done at Howard & Ferguson's. jan10dtf

HAVE your furniture repaired at Howard & Ferguson's. jan10dtf

DON'T fail to visit the Cheap Store for novelties in ladies toilet and fancy articles. No trouble to show goods.

UPHOLSTERING done right at Ashby's. f13-dawtf

IF you want choice groceries at bottom figures, call at Reeme's, on North Water street.

THE St Nicholas 'bus and carriage line carries passengers between the hotel and depot for five cents.

TRY the "Telephone"—all agree that it is the best five cent cigar in the market.

PARLOR suits and bedroom sets, and a complete line of first-class furniture at bottom figures, at Ashby's. f13dawtf

SCHOOL children are making the most of their vacation in various modes of recreation.

THE number of Baptists in the United States is given at 2,102,054, and they worship in 24,499 churches.

MAX STRAKOSCH's grand Italian opera company (85 people) will appear at Lafayette, Ind., to-morrow night.

THE Strakosch Italian opera company is at Indianapolis Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of this week.

THE HIGHEST market price will be paid for second hand furniture, stoves, etc. New goods sold at bottom prices. Old Revere House. Ed. Houston, agent.
March 8-d&wtf

NIEDERMEYER has a full line of choice groceries and provisions. Call and see him, at the corner of Eldorado and Monroe streets.

THE increase of Sheriff Forstmyer's jail family seems to be quite considerable of late, and at the present rate of increase there will be a full score at the time for the opening of the May term of court.

CONSIDERABLE litigation has graced the Justices' courts of the city within the last few days, some of the cases involving important questions of law and no inconsiderable amount of money. Some of these cases will probably be taken up to the circuit court.

CAPT. T. J. ABEL has returned from his visit to eastern markets, where he has made extensive purchases of the latest styles of carpet goods, window curtains and shades, all of which are marked down to hard pan prices. Ladies, now is your time to procure choice goods at low prices.

STOP at Ham & Black's on Praire street and buy your flour—Mt. OLIVE and SHELLABARGER's. We also sell eggs, butter, corn, oats, garden and field seeds. Also implements. Jan 11 dtf.

LOOK! LOOK! LOOK!!—You can get Newport Ties at Barber & Baker's for $1.00—former price, $1.50.
Feb. 11-d&wtf

DON'T FORGET Montgomery & Co., No 24 Merchant street, for bargains.
March 14-d1w w1m

THE death of Miss Bina, eldest daughter of Dr. and Mrs. C. A. McLean, occurred at Maroa recently, of hemorrhage of the lungs, in the 19th year of her age. The funeral took place from the Christian church at that place, Elder Robinson officiating. Her death is a deep bereavement to her parents and a large circle of friends.

THERE are 2,000 bound books in the Decatur Public Library, and 8,003 borrowers. On Saturday last the librarian exchanged 780 books, while the reading room was filled with the usual number of men, women and children who were perusing the newspapers and periodicals.

WE ARE now able to supply the demand for a good, solid, serviceable and neat walking shoe for $1.00. Call and see them, at Barber & Baker's.
Feb. 11-dawtf

THE grand closing-out sale of R. C. Crocker still continues, and its benefits are being realized by many who are availing themselves of the chance which it affords to get hardware and all kinds of goods usually kept in a hardware store at wholesale prices. This matter should receive the attention of all persons wanting goods in the line indicated, and they should call at once before the stock is sold out.

HOLIDAYS OVER and now to business. E. B. Pratt, North Church street, will give in exchange for corn, oats, wood, pork, beef, and country produce, groceries, dry goods, boots and shoes, ready made clothing, harness and hardware.
Jan. 10-d&w3m

OUR reporter called at The New Cheap Store on Merchant street this morning, and found the establishment looking as fresh as a new silver dollar, and the proprietors, Sol. Moritz & Co., kind and obliging. The stock embraces an endless variety of notions and fancy goods generally, which will be sold at astonishingly low figures.

AN article published on the this page of to-day's paper, under the caption "Welcome to Grant," gives a clear idea of the plan to be pursued in arranging for the grand excursion to San Francisco on the General's return to America in the fall. It is figured that the excursion rates from New York to San Francisco and return, will be as low as $35, and that from present indications, fully 50,000 people will go West to meet the next President. What will Illinois do while the people are away?

A BOLD ROBBERY.

The Robber Caught and Jugged.

Yesterday at noon a well-dressed gentleman, apparently about fifty years of age, registered at the St. Nicholas Hotel as H. Metz, of Cincinnati, and was given a room. About two o'clock in the afternoon he came hurriedly into the office and called for his bill, saying that he wanted to take the train for Cincinnati. He was informed that it would be several hours before any train would leave for that place, but notwithstanding this information he paid his bill, and taking his gripsack in hand started for the depot.

About a half hour afterwards Mrs. Lizzie Jenks, a lady boarder at the hotel, who occupies a room near the one that had been assigned to Metz, came rushing into the office with the information that in her absence from her room some one had entered it and taken her pocket-book, containing about sixty dollars in money.

Charley Laux at once suspicioned the man Metz, who had just left the hotel, and immediately started in pursuit of him. At the depot he learned that his man was probably at some of the boarding houses in that vicinity, and finally found him at the Franklin House, where he tried to engage him in conversation, but finding that Metz was strongly inclined to get out of the way, Charley finally collared him, and as he did so Metz threw away a pocket-book. On picking up the book the name of Mrs. Jenks was found on it in plain type.—This, of course, fixed the robbery upon Metz, who was taken up town and to Justice Albert's office, where he was searched, and the money found pinned up in his watch pocket with a fifty dollar bill, which he claimed as his own. On being shown the money, Mrs. Jenks recognized it as her's, except the fifty dollar bill.—The amount of money found on Metz belonging to Mrs. Jenks, was fifty-seven dollars.

The case being a very plain one, Justice Albert held the man to bail in the sum of six hundred dollars, in default of which he was committed to the county jail to await a future hearing.

RESOLUTION OF THANKS.—At a meeting of the Decatur Grenadiers, on Monday night, March 24th, the following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this company be extended to the ladies and gentlemen friends of the company, who, by their kind assistance, aided in, and assured the success of the military drama of the "North and South."

A CHARGE OF GARROTING.—A few days since Owen Roney was arrested on a warrant sworn out by Michael Cooney, charging the said Roney with feloniously assaulting the said Cooney, and taking from him twenty dollars in money. Not being able to give bail Roney was lodged in jail.

This morning he was brought before Justice Curtis for a preliminary examination, and a change of venue was taken to Justice Peake. States Attorney Buckingham appears for the people and Lee and Walker for the defendant.

The principal witnesses in the case for the prosecution are Mr. Cooney and wife and John Divine, and for the defense Mr Roney and defendant.

The case is still on trial as we go to press, with a prospect of occupying the attention of the court until night.

Bargains in Clocks.—We are selling the most elegant line of clocks to be found *any place*, and at the *very lowest prices*. We will sell Seth Thomas or any make of weight clocks, *at cost, or less*, to close them out. CURTIS & EWING.
25-d2w1

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.—A very interesting meeting was held last evening at the Christian church. A deeply impressive sermon was preached by the pastor, Rev. N. S. Haynes, after which one person was baptized, and three united with the church. Preaching again this evening by the pastor. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

A QUICK REPLY.—On Friday evening Mr. W. H. Bramble mailed a letter to one of the departments at Washington, and on Monday morning following he had his answer. That is, in just three days and ten hours from the time of mailing his letter he had the answer to it in his hand.

THE Peoria Saturday Evening *Call* states that L. Genis, receiver of the Illinois Midland Railway, intends to make radical improvements in the road as soon as the frost comes out of the ground.—New ties and new rails will be laid. The entire road-bed will be repaired thoroughly and completely.

THE following are the Republican nominations in Blue Mound township: Supervisor, H. H. Rosengrantz; clerk, John Sleeter; assessor, W. H. Weatherford; collector, N. F. Brown; commissioner, Morris Kalenbaugh; justice of the peace, John H. Burke.

Wanted,—A nurse girl; none need apply unless thoroughly competent. Apply at this office. mar25d3t*

THE foreshadowing of the doings of the democratic township convention [to be held at the court house] to-night is something after this fashion: For Supervisor, Ben. Dill, with Moses Stafford and A. Shoemaker for assistants. For Assessor, J. C. Campbell; for Collector, Jacob H. Miller; and for Poundmaster, Horace Davenport. Whether or not the above programme is carried out, will be known to-morrow morning.

Challis Bros. Heard From.—Ladies' kid or pebble kid lined Newport ties for only $1.00, they are good. Remember the sign of the big boot upside down, P. O. Block. mar20d3t

If you want your furniture made as good as new, call on Howard & Ferguson.
Feb. 10—dtf

AUNT POLLY BASSETT,

Jedediah, Mariam, and the Singin Skewl.

Ye olde time singin' skewl, under the direction of Aunt Polly Bassett, held a "meet" for the edification and amusement of ye towne folke at the tabernacle, last evening, when a goodly number of men, women and children did occupy comfortable seats and relish the entertainment, because of its laughable oddity, rich humor and musical harmony.

Aunt Polly bit the tuning fork at eight o'clock, when the school, numbering fifty voices, sang the grand opening chorus, "Hail Columbia." Aunt Polly appeared in a costume worn by the ladies in colonial times, wearing a huge poke bonnet, spectacles, an abundance of ribbons, etc. A capacious reticule hung from her left arm, and her hair was well powdered. Her daughter "Mariam," who presides at the organ and sings several beautiful songs, was attired as were the maidens of ye olden time. "Jedediah," the overgrown Yankee boy, occupied a stool near his ma, and kept the audience in a convulsive roar of laughter by his ludicrous mimicry and harmless tricks. His songs are old-fashioned, but sparkle with wit and bring down the house with a crash.

The "skewl" occupy chairs on the stage, and each boy and maiden is decked out in an old time costume, which adds to the beauty of the lassies and makes the lads appear much older than they really are.

Ye young folke, Annie Brown, Annie Knieper, Dollie Crocker, Edith and Bertha Hendricks, and Artie Race, Willie Crocker and Guy Parke took leading parts in the singing and were loudly applauded.

"Polly Bassett's Singin' Skewl" is a splendid entertainment, and should attract a full house to-night. The children especially enjoy the performance, and the older ones can hardly restrain themselves.

DEATH OF MRS. Z. A. EMMONS.

Mrs. Zerelda A. Emmons died in Chicago on Sunday morning last, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Daniel Linsted, No. 816 West Washington street.

Deceased had been afflicted with consumption for a number of years, which was the cause of her death. She resided in this city with her daughter six or eight years ago, and was united in marriage to Mr. John Washburn, the grocer.

Deceased was a good christian woman, and had many friends here, who will be pained to learn of her death.

The funeral ceremonies occurred to-day, and the remains were interred in Rose Hill Cemetery, at Chicago.

Mr. Washburn went to Chicago on Saturday night, and attended the funeral.—His establishment in this city has been closed since the announcement of the death of his late wife.

AUCTION SALE.—The stock of goods consisting of fancy goods and notions, formerly belonging to M. Goldburg, at 8 Merchant street, will be closed out at auction and private sale, commencing on Thursday, March 27th. Auction each afternoon and evening until all are sold. This closing out sale will afford a rare opportunity for great bargains in this line. Ladies will do well to take notice.

THE large New Stock, Elegant Styles and New Prices, make the New York Store the most desirable and safest place to trade. Every advantage that a buyer can possibly seek is assured him in this establishment.

SOME very amusing incidents occurred during the progress of Owen Roney's trial in Justice Peake's office to-day, such as the free circulation of fists and other belligerent demonstrations, and tongues wagged vigorously, which, with the rapping of the court for order, produced confusion worse confounded.

PERSONS OF TASTE.

The most refined nations have an appreciation of sweet odors, and find pleasure in the use of articles agreeable to the sense of smell. Dr. Price's Unique Perfumes are pronounced by the best judges to be superior in rich, fresh, flowery fragrance to any coming from abroad.

Any one who goes to Curtis & Ewing's can see the largest and handsomest line of Clocks in the state; they keep all kinds, and at the *very lowest prices*. Just step in and look at them. mar23t w1

WHITE and colored Alexander one-button Kid Gloves, will be closed out at 40c. a pair, by LINN & SCRUGGS.
Jan. 5-d&wtf

Kid Gloves in the new spring shades received at LINN & SCRUGGS'.
d&wtf

BUY the Pinafore Hat at
20-3d THEO. A. GEHRMANN'S.

MERKLE Seamless Side-lace Shoes, for Ladies, at Ferriss's. Perfect fitting, no seams, and consequently no ripping—an elegant style, for $2.50.
Feb. 18-d&wtf

SHADES and fixtures at Ashby's.
f18dawtf

Special Notice.—Calcimining, white washing, repairing plastering and cisterns promptly attended to by J. HUFF. Leave orders at J. M. Stookey & Co.'s bookstore. Charges reasonable.
March 19—dtf

HAVE that old mattress made new by Howard & Ferguson. jan10dtf

Notice.—A seventh series of the Decatur Building and Benefit Association will be issued, to date from March 4th, 1879. Stock will be issued without additional expense until April 1st.
J. W. BUTMAN, Pres't.
B. K. DURFEE, Sec'y. m8dtd

IT will pay you to call and see the bargains left in jewelry, etc., etc., at J. L. Knieper's, 26 Merchant street, one door north of old stand. dawtf

FRESH FEATHERS for sale at Linn & Scruggs'. [Nov 23-dtf

TO THE COLORED VOTERS.

There will be a meeting of the colored voters of Decatur township, in the grand jury room, in court house block, on Thursday evening, March 27, at 8 o'clock sharp, for the purpose of deciding upon the course to be pursued by said voters at the coming township election.

Let every colored citizen be present without fail.

ISAAC ROGAN,
P. A. GREEN,
JAMES HOLLINGER,
JAMES BRUMELL,
DALTON STEWARD,
Committee.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Jean F. Webb, Esq., is home from New York.

Mrs. E. J. Carter, of Maroa, is in the city on a two weeks' visit.

Capt. M. F. Kanan came in from the west to-day.

Miss Stewart, the fashionable dressmaker, returned home from the east on yesterday.

Maggie Mitchell is Mrs. Paddock. Her husband is a nephew of Mr. John W. Paddock, of Peoria, roadmaster of the P., P. & J. railroad.

Mrs. Dr. Millison is lying very low at her home in the northeast part of the city. Her friends have but little hope of her recovery.

U. S. Cornell, aged 25 years, reporter for the Chicago *Times*, enroute for Colorado for the benefit of his health, died suddenly in a Pullman sleeper, between Quincy and Kansas City, Sunday night.

Will R. Abbott, the jeweler, is the proud owner of a pedometer, an instrument which accurately registers the number of miles a person walks from any given time. It is a curiosity, and more wonderful than Aunt Polly Basset's tuning fork.

Social.

Stapp's Chapel congregation will meet in the lecture room of the church on Thursday evening, when the people generally, who can make it convenient to be present may have an opportunity of becoming acquainted with the new pastor, Rev. G. W. Miller.

The Presbyterian Blue Stocking Mite Society will give another sociable and entertainment, at the residence of Mrs. Dr. Roberts, corner West Prairie and Edward streets, on Thursday evening, March 27. All are invited.

There will be a sociable at the First M. E. Church on Friday evening, when the children of the Sunday school will be agreeably entertained by the ladies of the congregation. Let everybody attend.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

The BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all kinds of Skin Eruptions. This Salve is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction in every case or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Hubbard & Swearingen, Decatur.
Feb. 3-d&w8mo

MARRIED.

In Oakley, at the residence of the bride, on March 6th, by D. B. Landis, J. P., Mr. D. B. Hedding of Whitmore, and Mrs. Almira Allsbery.

At the residence of Robert Reed, March 16th, by D. B. Landis, J. P., Mr. Jesse Fulk and Miss Nancy M. Smith, both of Oakley township.

At the same time and place, and by the same, Mr. Andrew Roderick and Miss Mary E. Oisinger, both of Whitmore township.

Attention! D. D. C.—Meeting this evening at 7:30 o'clock. All members are requested to be present with drums.
BERING BURROWS, Pres.

New Dressmaking Rooms.

Miss Rosa Walsh has secured an elegant suite of rooms over Challis Bros.' shoe store, in Post Office block, fitted them up in fine style, and is now prepared to do FASHIONABLE DRESSMAKING in all its branches. Miss Rosa will conduct the business, and Miss Maggie Walsh will have entire charge of the work department. Orders respectfully solicited, and satisfaction guaranteed in every instance.
f25-d1w

Mme. Demorest's Reliable Patterns; the instructive "What to Wear," 15 cts., and Portfolios, 15 cents, just received by LINN & SCRUGGS. [mar15d&wtf

"To Be or Not to Be."—It is a question of importance to all afflicted creatures whether they will be cured of disease by remedies which leave a long train of bad after-effects, or by a medicine that strikes at the cause of the malady and eradicates it, without doing any more harm than that much water? CLIFFORD'S FEBRIFUGE, for the cure of all diseases caused by malaria, is a palatable, powerful Antiperiodic and Tonic, and yet never produces headache, noise in the ears, deafness or any of the evils consequent on the use of quinine, arsenic, etc.
J. C. RICHARDSON, Prop'r, St. Louis.
For sale by all druggists.
March 15-d&w1m

No Seams in Ferriss's Goat Low Shoes at $1.00 a pair—the Bonanza; consequently no rips and no complaints.
Feb. 20-d&wtf

An Elegant line of Spring Overcoats at B. Stine's. mar18dtf

The Largest Stock of the very latest patterns in rich jewelry of all kinds can be found at Curtis & Ewing's jewelry store. Their prices are always as low as can be found any place.
March 24—d3t w1

Great Bargains in Carpets and Window Shades, at Linn & Scruggs'.
Jan 23-d&wtf

Novelties in fine Scotch Cassimeres, Cheviots and Dress Suits, equal to merchant tailoring, at one half the price, for stylish young men's trade, at
March 13—dtf B. STINE'S.

WELCOME TO GRANT.

An Omaha dispatch to the New York *Herald*, dated March 21, says:

Letters have been received at the headquarters of the Union Pacific Railroad, written to an officer of the Central Pacific from the manager of the proposed excursion to meet General Grant in San Francisco on his return. It appears from the communications that the movement is sanctioned by the leading Republicans of the Senate and House of Representatives, and letters are pouring in from the Southern States with assurances that every Congressional district will be represented, not less than 200 being fresh from New Orleans, and the response from the Eastern States is not less general. Indianapolis, Columbus and other cities are also eager for the scheme, and will have many representatives. The affair is being worked up by Congressional districts, the Chairman of the Central Committee acting as agent, with county central committeemen as assistants. The latter report in turn to the Chairman of the State Central Committee, and they to G. W. McMullen & Brother, Chicago. The important question of rates, which will determine to a great extent the number of excursionists, is in the hands of experienced railroad men, who have prepared careful estimates of the lowest rate ever before offered excursionists, for the proposed round trip—which is $100 from the Pacific roads and $20 from the Eastern points to Omaha. It is ascertained that the actual expense of carriage for an excursion of the dimensions proposed will not exceed $2 per capita for 1,200 miles.

TWENTY-FIVE DOLLARS A HEAD.

It is believed that a rate a little more than $5 for the round trip could be secured between Eastern points and Omaha, while for the round trip from Omaha to San Francisco $20 will probably be charged, making the railroad fare for the entire trip from any point in the country about $25, or less than 1 cent per mile. It is estimated that at this rate not less than 50,000 will make the trip. Correspondence has been opened with the hotels and dining stations along the line to secure corresponding reductions. It is proposed to occupy three weeks in the trip, remaining one week in San Francisco. Each line of railroad of the standard gauge is expected to furnish coaches for its own passengers, who will be sent through without change, running at the rate of perhaps twenty miles to the hour, making stops only for wood and water. The Pacific Railroad will procure the necessary number of additional locomotives from other lines where hundreds are now lying idle. The strictest measures will be taken to protect the railroad and prevent any but bona fide excursionists taking advantage of the reduction of rates. It is proposed that the excursion shall be controlled exclusively by a body of managers, to avoid an overwhelming onslaught on public men and officials for passes. Certificates will be issued to each excursionist by county committeemen, countersigned by the chairman of Congressional districts, and upon these the chairmen of the State Central committees will issue tickets. The plan is fully developed, but every effort has been made to keep the details from the public.

Onion Setts—Yellow, red and white, at YOUNG BROS'. [mar19d1w w2t

Wanted.—A home for a young girl nine years old, to be taken and raised as a member of the family. For information address P. O. Drawer 431, Decatur, Ill., or call at this office. [mar14 d2w

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Mar. 25-d&wtf.

JUDICIAL ELECTION.

WE are authorized to announce JACOB W. WILKIN, of Clark county, as a candidate for Judge of the Circuit Court.

EDITORS REPUBLICAN:—Please announce that C. B SMITH is a candidate for re-election for Circuit Judge for the 4th circuit.

WE are authorized to announce A. B. BUNN, of Macon county, as a candidate for Judge of the circuit court in this judicial district.

WILLIAM E. NELSON, of Macon county, is a candidate for re-election as Judge of the circuit court for the 4th judicial district.

WE are authorized to announce SAMUEL R. REED, of Piatt county, as a candidate for Judge of the Circuit Court, in the 4th judicial district.

TOWNSHIP ELECTION.

SUPERVISOR.

We are authorized to announce J. Q. A. ODOR as a candidate for supervisor of Decatur township.

COMMISSIONER OF HIGHWAYS.

WE are authorized to announce FRED SNYDER as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways.

WE are authorized to announce CHARLES M. CALDWELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways at the April township election.

WE are authorized to announce WILLIAM T. DILLEHUNT as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways, at the ensuing township election, subject to the decision of the Republican convention.

WE are authorized to announce HENRY CASSELL as a candidate for Commissioner of Highways at the approaching township election.

COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce CHARLES M. DURFEE as a candidate for township collector, subject to the decision of the republican township convention.

ASSESSOR.

WE are authorized to announce J. M. LOWRY as a candidate for re-election to the office of Township Assessor.

WE are authorized to announce EDWARD HUGHES as a candidate for Township Assessor at the April election.

WE are authorized to announce FRED J. SMITH as a candidate for Assessor at the ensuing Township election, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

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All of which will be sold exclusively for CASH at the very lowest prices. One price to everybody. I will also buy Second-Hand Furniture and Stoves, or exchange new goods for the same.
Call and see me.
ED. HOUSTON, Agent.
Jan. 30, 1879—d&wly

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Have Removed their stock of Boots and Shoes to
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Mar. 14—d&w1m MONTGOMERY & CO.

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GOING WEST.

No. 1 Through Express 6:30 a. m
" 3 Fast Line 4:15 a. m
" 5 Fast Mail 3:40 p. m

GOING EAST.

No. 2 Lightning Express 10.50 p. m
" 4 Atlantic Express 11 45 a. m
" 6 Accommodation 6.30 p. m

The following Freight trains will carry passengers with tickets:

Going East 8:45 a. m
Going West 1:15 p. m

St. Louis Division.

DEPART.

No. 41 Through Express 3:50 a. m
" 43 Fast Line 4 25 a. m
" 45 Fast Mail 4 00 p. m
Freight 7:45 a. m

ARRIVE.

No. 42 Lightning Express 10 30 p. m
" 44 Atlantic Express 11 30 a. m
" 46 Accommodation 9.45 p. m

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EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 6.
I., B. & W. R. R.			2 00 p m
Leave Decatur			4 25 p m
Arv Monticello	8.10 a m	1.58 p m	11.25 p m
Lv Champaign	9 44 a m	3 05 p m	1 24 a m
Ar Danville	11 00 a m	6:00 p m	4:20 a m
Ar Indianapolis	4 05 p m	10 15 p m	8.35 a m
Ar Cincinnati			
WABASH R. R.			
Lv Decatur		11:40 a m	10:45 p m
" Tolono		12 52 p m	11 57 p m
Ar Danville		2 12 p m	1.18 a m
" Indianapolis	11 00 a m	6 00 p m	4:20 a m
" Cincinnati	4.05 p m	10:45 p m	8:55 a m
" Dayton	4 55 p m	11:40 p m	9:15 a m
" Columbus	9:40 p m	12:15 a m	12:15 p m
" Zanesville	1:20 a m		3 10 p m
" Wheeling	5:05 a m		6 40 p m
" Washington	7:20 p m	8:07 p m	7.50 a m
" Baltimore	8.30 p m	7 15 p m	7.15 a m
" Pittsburg		7.50 a m	7.45 p m
" Harrisburg		3.35 p m	3:50 a m
" Philadelphia	3:10 a m	7 20 p m	7:35 a m
New York	6.35 a m	10:15 p m	10:35 a m
Crestline		4:22 a m	12:35 p m
" Cleveland		7.10 a m	2 40 p m
" Buffalo		1 05 p m	8 05 p m
" Boston		8.15 a m	2.40 p m
" Louisville	7.40 p m	11:50 p m	8 30 a m
" Nashville		3:30 a m	7:20 p m

Train No. 6 will leave Decatur via Wabash Railway daily, and run through to Indianapolis, making all Eastern connections. All other trains daily, except Sunday.

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ILLINOIS MIDLAND R'Y.

On and after Monday, March 3rd, trains will arrive and leave as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger 7 00 a. m
Passenger 6.30 p. m

ARRIVE FROM THE EAST.

Passenger 9 40 p. m

GOING WEST.

Passenger 11 05 a. m
Local Freight 5 00 a. m

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CONDENSED TIME-CARD.

November 10th, 1878.

LEAVE.

STATIONS	Freight	Freig't	Pass.	Pass.
Decatur	6.00 am		1.15 pm	
Hammond	7:22 am		2:11 pm	
Tuscola	8,30 am		2:36 pm	
Newman	10.25 am		3 43 pm	
Chrisman	12:00 am		4.27 pm	
Hillsdale	1:40 pm		5:18 pm	
Montezuma	1:45 pm		5.30 pm	
Bloom'gdale	2:25 pm		5:40 pm	
Guion	3:30 pm		6.00 pm	

ARRIVE.

STATIONS.	Pass.	Pass.	Fr'ght.	Fr'ght.
Decatur	11:35 am		6.10 pm	
Hammond	10 40 am		4.06 pm	
Tuscola	9 55 am		3.00 pm	
Newman	9:15 am		1:18 pm	
Chrisman	8:30 am		11:30 am	
Hillsdale	7:45 am		9:31 am	5 05 pm
Montezuma	7:10 am		9:15 am	5.30 pm
Bloom'gdale	7:00 am			4:30 pm
Guion	7:00 am			3:45 pm

H. C. MOORE, Chief Engineer and Supt.
C. V. LEWIS, Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent.
R. H. FRAZE, Train Master and Supt. Tel.
General Office, Tuscola, Illinois.
GEO. E. LARY, Ticket Agent, Decatur, Ill.

NOTICE.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL R. R.

DECATUR STATION, Nov. 11, 1878.

On and after to-day, until further notice, trains on this line will leave Decatur as follows:

GOING NORTH.

Passenger, 5:00 a m
Accommodation, 3:03 p m
Freight 4:35 "

GOING SOUTH.

Freight, 9:35 a m
Accommodation, 10:10 "
Passenger, 5:50 p m

E. F. JEFFERY, Sup't, Chicago.
J. F. TUCKER, Master Transportation, Chicago.
C. O. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

FOR THE

NORTH & NORTHWEST.

PEKIN, LINCOLN & DECATUR RAILROAD.

Take this Line for

Burlington, Council Bluffs,

Omaha, Galesburg, Davenport, Rock Island, LaSalle, Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis, and all points North and Northwest. Connections made at Peoria in Union Depot, for all points in Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota and Wisconsin.

For Through Tickets and further information, apply to

K. HARWOOD, Agent, Union Depot, Decatur, Ill.

TIME-TABLE.

DECATUR AND PEORIA SHORT LINE

Peoria & St Louis Express	Mail & Express	1879. Mar. 9th	St Louis Mail & Express	Eastern & South. Express
Leave.			Arrive.	
11,50 am	4,30 pm	Decatur,	3,50 pm	10,00 pm
12,43 "	5,23 "	Mt Pulaski	2,59 "	8,30 "
1,10 pm	5,51 "	Lincoln	2,35 "	7,45 "
1,51 "	6,32 "	Delavan	1,55 "	6,32 "
2,05 "	6,45 "	Green Val.	1,43 "	6,15 "
2,30 "	7,15 "	Pekin	1,20 "	5,40 "
3,00 pm	7,45 "	Peoria	12,55 "	5,00 "

G. R. COBLEIGH, Gen'l Manager, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
L. M. RUPERT, Chief Ticket Clerk, P. L. & D. R'y, Pekin.
November 12, 1878.

TOLEDO, PEORIA AND WARSAW RAILWAY.

On and after May 12th, 1878, trains will run as follows.

EASTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 2.	No. 4.	No. 8.
Lv. Peoria	*7.15 p m	†9.05 a m	*9.00 p m
" El Paso	8 34 "	10 15 "	11.07 p m
Ar. Chenoa	9.09 "	10 47 "	12.07 a m
" Fairbury	9.41 "	11.20 "	12 49 "
" Dilman	10.15 "	12.00 p m	2.35 "
" Chicago		6.05 "	6.30 "
" Watseka	11.05 "	12:38 "	4.00 "
" Sheldon	11.25 p m	1 05 "	4.55 "

*Runs Daily. †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

No. 2 has Reclining Chair Car from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette and Indianapolis, and Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Fort Wayne and Toledo.

No. 4 has through day coach from Burlington and Peoria to Lafayette.

No. 8 has a Palace Sleeping Car from Peoria to Chicago.

WESTWARD.

STATIONS.	No. 3.	No. 5.	No. 7
Lv. El Paso	*7.25 am	†1.46 pm	*4.08 pm
" Peoria	8.50 "	3.00 "	6 20 "
Ar. Canton	†10.10 "	4.12 "	
" Bushnell	11.10 "	5.23 "	
" Burlington	1.50 pm	7 25 "	
" Keokuk	2.10 "	7.35 "	
" West Liberty	10 40 "	10.30 "	
" Cedar Rapids	12.25 am	12.25 am	
" Waterloo	3.07 "	3.07 "	
" Ottumwa	11.00 pm	10 50 pm	
" Des Moines	2.50 am	2.50 am	
" Omaha	10.00 "	10.00 "	

*Runs Daily. †Runs Daily except Sunday.

Arrangement of Through Cars.

All trains run through entire from Indiana State Line to the Mississippi River.

No. 3 has Reclining Chair Car from Indianapolis and Lafayette to Peoria and Burlington, and Palace Sleeping Car from Toledo and Fort Wayne to Peoria.

No. 5 has day coach through from Lafayette to Peoria and Burlington.

No. 7 has Palace Sleeping Car from Chicago and Gilman to Peoria.

For tickets and further information apply to GEO. M. YOUNG, Agent, El Paso, Or to A. V. THOMAS, Ticket Agent, No. 102 North Adams street, Peoria.

A. L. HOPKINS, General Manager. H. C. TOWNSEND, General Ticket Agent, PEORIA, ILL.

TIME CARD

—FOR—

STREET CARS

Leave Old Square at 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 A. M.
And every 30 minutes up to 10 30 P. M.
For morning trains going North and West will leave Old Square at 5 00 A. M.
For early morning train West will leave 2 30 "
Leave depot 6 30, 7 00, 7 30 "
And every 30 minutes until 11 00 P. M.

From 9 A. M. until 4 P. M. a car will leave each end of the route every 15 minutes.

Baggage conveyed to and from the depot, and calls made in time for all trains if orders are left at Priest's Hotel in time to take cars.

Baggage to go on night or early morning trains must be delivered at Priest's Hotel by 9 o'clock P. M., or orders left for same by that time.

F. PRIEST, Pres. H. R'y & C. Co.
May23'74-dtf

DECATUR POST-OFFICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails

MAILS CLOSE AT

11 00 A. M. *Wabash R. R. East, Chicago, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Minnesota; *Illinois Midland West.
12.30 P. M.—*I., D. & S. R. R.; *Ill. Mid. East.
1.30 P. M.—*I., B. & W. R. R.
2.00 P. M.—*Mattoon, Sullivan & Decatur R R.; *Chicago & Dubu. R. P. O., through pouch; *Chicago & Burlington R. P. O., through pouch.
3.30 P. M.—*Wabash R. R. West; *St Louis way; *P., L. & D. R. R.
5 00 P. M.—*Ill. Cent. South, and Cincinnati.
7.30 P. M.—Ill. Cent. North; †Toledo and Lafayette R. P. O. (Ohio and Indiana); †Buffalo and Toledo R. P. O. (Eastern States); *Chicago and Toledo R. P. O., Chicago, Michigan, Wisconsin, Minn., Peoria, Lincoln, Mattoon, Tuscola, Bement, Jacksonville and Quincy. †Lafayette, Indiana, through pouch; *Indianapolis, do.; *Toledo, O., do.; *Springfield, Ill., do.; *St. Louis, Mo., do.

Night mails close Sunday at 6:00 P. M.
*Except Sunday. ‡Except Saturday. †Daily.

MAILS ARRIVE AT

8 00 A. M.—*Ill. Cent. R. R. South; †Toledo and Lafayette R. P. O.; *Buffalo and Toledo R. P. O. (Eastern States); *Chicago and Toledo R. P. O.; *St. Louis, Missouri, through pouch; *Springfield, Ill., do.; ‡Lafayette, Ind., do.; *Indianapolis, Ind., do., *Toledo, O., do.
10:00 A. M.—*I., B. & W. R. R.
10:30 A. M.—*Chicago and Dub. R. P. O., through pouch; *Chicago & Burlington R. P. O., do.
12:00 M.—*St. Louis way, *Wabash R. R. West, *Midland R. R. East, *Ind., D. & S. R. R., *Mattoon & Sullivan R. R.
2 00 P. M.—*Midland R. R. West.
2.30 P. M.—*P., L. & D. R. R.
4.00 P. M.—*Wabash R. R. East.
6:00 P. M.—*Ill. Central North.

*Except Sunday. †Daily. ‡Except Monday.

OFFICE HOURS —Open at 7 A. M.; close at 8 P. M. Open Sundays from 9 to 10 A. M.

Nov. 20, 1877. R. P. LYTLE, P. M.

Redemption Notice.

To Charles Hopping, or whom it may concern: You are hereby notified that at a sale of lands and town lots for state, county and special taxes, made in pursuance of law, in the county of Macon and state of Illinois, on the 28th day of June, A. D. 1877, for the taxes for the year 1876, I purchased the following described lot, to-wit: Part of lot 17, east half southwest quarter sec. 14, township 16 north, range 2 east of the 3rd P. M., taxed in the name of Charles Hopping, and that the time of the redemption thereof from said sale will expire on the ... day of June, A. D. 1879.

JOHN M. BILLS.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

JOSIAH BROWN, M. D.,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

Office, corner East Main and Water streets, Court House Block.
March 20, 1878—d&wtf

WILLIAM T. CUSSINS,

ATTORNEY AT LAW,

—AND—

Solicitor in Chancery.

Office No. 10 Water street, Decatur, Ill.
☞ Private funds to loan on farm lands.
Feb. 15.d&wtf

BUNN & BUNN, A. Brower Bunn and John R. Bunn,

Attorneys and Counselors-at-Law

AND SOLICITORS IN CHANCERY.

Office on East Main street, over J. Millikin & Co.'s Bank, Decatur, Ill.
Jan. 15, 1879—d&wtf

JOHN A. BROWN,

Attorney-at-Law,

And Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois. Office 23 North Water street, west side of New Square, Decatur, Ill.
Jan. 10, 1879—d&wly

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May 5, 1878—d&wtf

DR. J. M. BLYTHE,

DENTIST.

Office in Opera Block, over H. B. Lewis's grocery store. Residence, southwest cor. William and Monroe streets. All work warranted.
April 20, 1878—d&wtf

JEAN F. WEBB,

ATTORNEY AT LAW

And Solicitor in Chancery, Decatur, Illinois. Office, 21 Water street—Up-stairs.
April 4, 1878—d&wtf

IRA B. CURTIS,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,

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Dec 14, 1877—d&wtf

JOSIAH M. CLOKEY,

Attorney and Counselor-at-Law,

Office over the Decatur National Bank. Special attention to matters in Probate and Chancery. Decatur, Ill., Apr. 9,'77. d&wly

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May26'75-d&wtf

I. A. BUCKINGHAM,

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW,

Office over Hildebrandt's Drug Store, Decatur, Illinois. April 7'75-tf

ELDRIDGE & HOSTETLER, E. R. Eldridge, J. C. Hostetler

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Office over Newell & Hammer's Grocery Store.
Jul17'74-tly

P. B. SPARKS, M. D.,

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Aug. 16, 1878-tf

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B. L. STERRETT,

Attorney-at-Law,

Office southeast corner of the Old Square, in the office formerly occupied by S. G. Malone, Esq., over W. C. Armstrong's Drugstore.
Jun1d&wly

BUNN & PARK, D. L. Bunn, Edwin Park.

ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW,

Office No. 14 East Main street, up stairs, Decatur, Illinois. April 30-tf

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April 25, 1878—wtf

CLARK & ARBUCKLE,

ATTORNEYS AT LAW

And Solicitors in Chancery,

No. 22 North Water Street—back room.
Nov. 14—wtf

FRANK W. HAINES,

BILL POSTER, DISTRIBUTOR,

—AND—

AGENT SMITH'S OPERA HOUSE,

may be found on inquiry at the REPUBLICAN Counting Room.

S. J. BUMSTEAD, M. D.,

PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON,

OCULIST AND AURIST

Successor to Dr. J. W. Routh, Decatur. Office on East Main street, formerly occupied by Dr. Routh. Residence No 22 West Eldorado street.
May26'77-d&wlm.

DR. A. S. WALTZ,

DENTIST,

Office over Barber & Co's Shoe Store, East Main street; Residence No. 49 North Main street, Decatur, Illinois. Jun18'73-d2m*

Query:—Why will you smoke a poor 5-cent cigar when you can get "Kepler's Queen," warranted 18 carats fine, for the same money? [April 11-dtf

The Daily Republican.

An English View of Jeff Davis.

London Telegraph.

The cause of the South met with signal failure. The "State rights" which it stood up to defend were for years abolished, and will probably never recover their old force; and Slavery, which was the corner-stone of the "new nation" has utterly disappeared. No greater catastrophe ever closed a revolt. But the gigantic contest and the conclusive victory were overshadowed by the unexampled political clemency of the conquerors. When the war was over, no man suffered death on the scaffold save the few convicted of assassination, the political prisoners were quickly released, confiscations were soon removed, and now the South possesses again its political rights. But the theory of obliteration and forgiveness is pushed to an absurd extreme when twenty-two Democratic Senators propose that the man through whose instigation the American people lost many hundred thousand men should be presented as a fitting recipient of a State pension for services rendered more than thirty years ago. At all events, its payment might be postponed till the huge national debt due to him and his colleagues is completely cleared off.

On Our Most Distant Frontiers,

As in our busiest and most populous cities of the seaboard and interior, Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is pre-eminently popular. Wherever civilization plants its foot on this continent, thither the great tonic soon finds its way. Nor is this surprising, for it is the medicine of all others best adapted to the wants of the Western emigrant, be he miner or agriculturist. It is an incomparable remedy for the diseases to which he is most subject, and which are liable to be brought on by a change of climate, hardship, exposure, unaccustomed air and diet, and miasmatic atmosphere and water. Among these are disorders of the stomach and bowels, rheumatic ailments, and malarious fevers, for all of which Hostetter's Bitters is a certain specific. A course of the Bitters before departing for the new field of labor, or on arriving, will have the effect of preventing the evils for which it is such a signal remedy. m25d&w1w

Removal.

Keeler, the hatter, will remove about March 15th to Powers' Block, across the street nearly opposite the present store. The room is to be specially fitted up for hat and furnishing trade. New spring styles of stiff and soft hats now ready at the old stand—13 East Main Street

Mrs. Grindol, at her boarding house No. 11 West Main street, can furnish boarding and rooms by the day or week for a few more boarders; fare good, and price very reasonable.
March 5—dtf

Fine Ecru Muslin for ladies' underwear, at Linn & Scruggs'.
Nov. 27-d&wtf

THE White Sewing Machine for sale at Ashby's Don't buy any other till you have seen it and compared the working of it, and price f23d&wtf

The Old Dominion Buck Gloves, Mitts and Gauntlets, for ladies and gents, are reduced in price, and are the best gloves on the American continent, at any price. To be had only of LINN & SCRUGGS
Oct. 31—dtf

100,000 Bushels of Corn Wanted by Linn & Scruggs, for which they will pay two cents a bushel more than the highest market price in merchandise, at lowest cash prices, the corn to be delivered at D. S. Shellabarger & Co.'s mill.
Jan. 1—d&wtf

Shellabarger's Patent Process Flour retains all the nourishment contained in the wheat. None of its virtues are wasted. Try it [Dec. 18-d&wtf

See those new spring styles Ladies Shoes and Slippers, at Ferriss' Shoe Store.
Jan. 25-d&wtf

Cold Weather is at Hand.—Look to the health and comfort of your horse by purchasing a warm blanket, to be had at J. G. Starr & Son's for $1 00 only — Lap-robes, all styles and prices.
Oct. 28—d&wtf

If you want mill feed, corn or oats, you can be supplied at SHELLABARGER'S.
Dec. 18—d&wtf

Gents' Shawls.—Very cheap, at Linn & Scruggs. dec3d&wtf

FRIENDLY SUGGESTIONS

To Travelers, as well as to Those Seeking New Homes in the West.

The summer of 1878 will long be remembered by many on account of the extreme heat, as well as the *terrible plague* that has visited certain sections of our country. Therefore, if you are about *taking a trip to the West*, either for pleasure or to look out a location for a *New Home*, seek to locate on (or nearly so), *the same latitude in which you formerly lived*. The reasons for this are many. You will escape the severe climatic changes and fevers incident to North or South, consequently you will experience no *poor health*, which is a great draw drawback to the new settler, and in this way you become *producers at once*. *The Hannibal and St. Joseph Railroad* is located upon the *happy medium* between North and South, running through the northern part of Missouri, where there is no plague or pestilence, and upon which line thousands of happy settlers are located, and on account of the wonderful fertility of the soil, together with the *best of markets* have become independent, and surrounded as they are with the best of schools and churches, together with all the home comforts, are a prosperous and happy people.

For rates, maps, time tables, etc., apply to either of the following agents:

R. TENBROECK, Gen'l Eastern Ag't, 317 Broadway, N. Y.
J. A. S. REED, Gen'l Trav. Ag't, 59 Clark st., Chicago.
C. W. BOARDMAN, Pass. Agent, Decatur, Ill.,
T. PENFIELD, Gen'l Pass. Ag't, Hannibal, Mo.

Jan. 13, 1879—dtf

TUTT'S PILLS!

A NOTED DIVINE SAYS THEY ARE WORTH THEIR WEIGHT in GOLD

READ WHAT HE SAYS:

DR. TUTT:—Dear Sir: For ten years I have been a martyr to Dyspepsia, Constipation and Piles. Last Spring your Pills were recommended to me; I used them (but with little faith). I am now a well man, have good appetite, digestion perfect, regular stools, piles gone, and I have gained forty pounds solid flesh. They are worth their weight in gold.

REV. R. L. SIMPSON, Louisville, Ky.

A TORPID LIVER

is the fruitful source of many diseases, such as Dyspepsia, Sick Headache, Costiveness, Dysentery, Bilious Fever, Ague and Fever, Jaundice, Piles, Rheumatism, Kidney Complaint, Colic, etc.

Tutt's Pills exert a powerful influence on the Liver, and will with certainty, relieve that important organ from disease, and restore its normal functions.

The rapidity with which persons take on flesh, while under the influence of these pills, of itself indicates their adaptability to nourish the body, hence their efficacy in curing nervous debility, dyspepsia, wasting of the muscles, sluggishness of the liver, chronic constipation and imparting health and strength to the system.

CONSTIPATION.

Only with regularity of the bowels can perfect health be enjoyed. When the constipation is of recent date, a single dose of **TUTT'S PILLS** will suffice, but if it has become habitual, one pill should be taken every night, gradually lessening the frequency of the dose until a regular daily movement is obtained, which will soon follow.

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CURE YOURSELF!

Dr Bohannan's "Vegetable Curative" is warranted to permanently cure all forms of Spermatorrhea or Seminal Weakness, General Debility, Impotency, etc., and restores "Lost Power" and brings back the "Youthful Vigor" of those who have destroyed it by sexual excesses or evil practices, etc. from two to seven weeks' time. This remedy, which has been used by Dr. Bohannan in his private practice for over thirty years, was never known to fail in curing even the WORST CASES. It gives vitality and imparts energy with wonderful effect to those middle aged men who feel a weakness beyond their years. Its invigorating properties are felt at once. Young men suffering from the consequences of that dreadfully destructive habit of Self-Abuse can use this medicine with the assurance of a speedy and PERMANENT cure. The patient gains strength and elasticity of spirits at once, as it acts directly on the parts affected as a soothing and healing tonic and anodyne to the relaxed seminal vessels and irritated ducts, imparting power and tone and restoring them to their natural state, the same as if the baneful habit had never been indulged in. The ingredients are simple productions of nature—barks, roots, herbs, etc., and are a specific for the above diseases.

Price, Five Dollars, sent with full directions etc. to any address. For sale only at Dr C A Bohannan's office, No 621 North Fifth street between Washington avenue and Green st., St Louis, Mo. Established in 1857.

Dr. B.'s "Treatise on Special Diseases," which gives a clear delineation, of the nature, symptoms, mode of cure, etc., of SYPHILIS, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, Etc., sent FREE to any address upon receipt of one stamp.

MARRIAGE SECRETS A Book of nearly 90 pages numerous engravings, reveals secrets which the married and those contemplating marriage should know. How to cure diseases. Hundred of Recipes. Sent securely sealed for 30 cents in money or postage stamps. Address DR. C. A. BOHANNAN, 621 North Fifth Street, St Louis Mo.

Jan. 18, 1879-d&wly

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

Moses Miller vs. Elmer Culver—Mechanic's Lien

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Monday, the 7th day of April, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: A dwelling house, situated on lot fourteen (14), block six (6), in William Bandy's Addition to the city of Decatur, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., March 15th, 1879.
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
J. S. POST, Solicitor for Complainant.
March 15—d3w

ANNUAL MEETING.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKholders of the

People's Homestead, Savings and Loan Association

will be held at the COURT HOUSE on

MONDAY EVENING, APRIL 7th.

D. C. SHOCKLEY, President.
O. B. GOURS, Secretary.
March 5—eodtd

Special Meeting of Stockholders.

OFFICE OF THE WABASH RAILWAY CO.,
TOLEDO, OHIO, March 1, 1879.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS of the Wabash Railway Company will be held at the Company's office in Toledo, O., on Wednesday, May 14th, 1879, at ten o'clock A. M. This meeting is called to authorize an issue of bonds, secured by mortgage upon the Company's entire property, to the amount of two millions of dollars, for the purpose of retiring what is known as the Seney Mortgage, and for other purposes.

By order of the Board of Directors,
W. H. CORNEAU, Sec'y.
March 6—tld

Assignee's Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.

NOTICE is hereby given of my appointment as assignee of Lillia W. Hurd, who has made a voluntary assignment to me, under the provisions of an act concerning voluntary assignments, and conferring jurisdiction therein upon county courts.

MARY E. COOK, Assignee
Decatur, March 6, 1879—d6w

FOR RENT.

A RARE CHANCE IS OFFERED TO A suitable tenant to rent a fine fruit and grain farm of 43 acres, situated only fifteen minutes' drive from the court house, Decatur, Illinois. This farm has about 600 fine-bearing trees, consisting of apples, pears, cherries and quinces, a fine old vineyard of over 2,000 vines; a large variety of small fruits; several acres of blackberries and raspberries; over two acres of fine wine plant a species of rhubarb; and the remainder of the farm suitable for any kind of cultivation. A good two-story brick house, stable, wood shed, etc.

Any person understanding this business can realize a fine income from this place. Terms reasonable. Inquire of

J. LEFORGEE & CO., Decatur, Illinois.
Feb. 27 d&wtf

Sheriff's Sale.

BY virtue of one execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of John Ulrich and against John Wade, also one plaintiff's fee bill execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk aforesaid, wherein John Ulrich is plaintiff and John Wade and Benjamin F. McCoy are defendants, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lots one and two, in block F; lot seven, in block D—all situated in the town of Oakley, Macon county, State of Illinois. Taken as property of the said John Wade, which I shall offer at public sale at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1879, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution and said fee bill.

This 25th day of February, A. D. 1879.
M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill.
Feb. 28—d3w

ST. NICHOLAS HOTEL

N. LAUX & BRO., Proprietors.

South side of the Old Square, Decatur, Illinois
March 15,1878—d&w

SURE REMEDY FOR BALDNESS Prescription Free to any person who will agree to pay ... when a new growth of Hair, Whiskers or Moustache is actually produced. Sanderson & Co., 8 Clinton Place, New York.

Feb. 13—w8w

ANNUAL TOWN MEETING!

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE citizens, legal voters of the town of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, that the Annual Town Meeting for said town will be held at the County Clerk's office, in said town, on

Tuesday, the 1st day of April Next,

being the first Tuesday in said month, for the purposes following, viz:

1st—To choose a Moderator to preside at said meeting.

2d—To elect one Supervisor, two Assistant Supervisors, one Town Clerk, one Assessor, one Collector, one Commissioner of Highways, and as many Poundmasters as the Electors may determine.

And to act upon any additional subjects which may, in pursuance of law, come before said meeting when convened.

Which meeting will be called to order between the hours of eight and nine o'clock in the forenoon and kept open until six o'clock in the afternoon.

Given under my hand, at Decatur, this 17th day of March, A. D. 1879.
GEO. P. HARDY, Town Clerk.
March 18—dtd

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.

In the Circuit Court to the May term, 1879.

Josephine Putty vs. Columbus Putty Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence in the State of Illinois of the above-named defendant having been filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, Notice is hereby given to the said Columbus Putty, defendant in the above cause, that Josephine Putty, the complainant in said cause, has heretofore filed in said court on the chancery side thereof her certain bill of complaint against you the said defendant, and that a summons has been issued out of said court in said cause against you the said defendant, returnable at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county and State, on the second Monday of the month of May, 1879, as is by law required, and that the said cause is now pending in said court. Now, unless you, the said Columbus Putty, defendant in said cause, shall personally be and appear before said court on the first day of the said next May term thereof, A. D. 1879, to be held at the Court House in the city of Decatur, in said county and State, on the said second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1879, and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters, allegations and statements therein contained, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Ill.
HARVEY PASCO, Complainant's Solicitor
Decatur, Ill., March 22, 1879 d4w

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court

Jeremiah Baker vs. Mary Kiersted et al.—Foreclosure.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Monday, the 31st day of March, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Lot No. ten (10) and the north half of lot No. nine (9), all in block number four (4), in Plaid & Tuttle's Addition to the town of Decatur, together with all improvements thereon, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging—Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., March 8th, 1879.
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill.
W. C. JOHNS, Solicitor for Complainant.
March 8—d3w

Administrator's Sale of

REAL ESTATE.

IN PURSUANCE OF A DECREE OF THE County Court of Macon county, Illinois, rendered upon the petition of Frank L. Wood, administrator of the estate of Irene Braunstetter, deceased, at the March Term, A. D. 1879, thereof, I shall proceed, at the west door of the Court House, in the city of Decatur, Macon county, State of Illinois, on

Saturday, the 19th Day of April, A. D. 1879,

at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, to sell to the highest bidder for cash the following described real estate, situated in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The undivided portion amounting to twenty-two and forty-five one-hundredths (22 45-100) acres, in the following described lands: Lot No. two (2), of the northwest quarter of section No. two (2), in township No. sixteen (16), in range three (3) east of the third P. M., containing 88 27-100 acres, also ten (10) acres in the northeast corner of the west half of lot No. two (2), in the northeast quarter of section three (3), township and range aforesaid; also the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-five (35), township seventeen (17) north, range three (3) east of the 3rd P. M., containing forty (40) acres, subject to the dower of Mary Spencer.

Dated March 19, 1879
FRANK L. WOOD, Administrator.
BUNN & BUNN, Attorneys.
March 20 d4w

Assignee's Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY, ss.

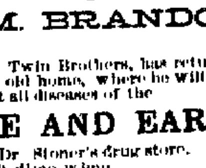
In the County Court, March Term, A. D. 1879.

In the matter of the assignment of LILLIA W. HURD.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of the decree of the Macon County Court, I will, on the third day of April, A. D. 1879, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash all the ladies' furnishing goods and millinery lately owned by Lillia W. Hurd. Sale to be on the premises, in Decatur, Illinois, and subject to the approval of the court.

MARY E. COOK, Assignee.
March 20 d2w

DECATUR EYE INFIRMARY



DR. M. BRANDOM

One of the Twin Brothers, has returned to Decatur, his old home, where he will be prepared to treat all diseases of the

EYE AND EAR.

Office over Dr. Stoner's drug store.
Feb. 21, 1879—dlmo wlmo

M. A. MYER. F. C. MYER.

MYER & SON,

HOUSE AND SIGN

PAINTERS!

SPECIALTIES:

Decorating, Graining, Gilding, Frescoing and Tinting.

SHOP—North Side of the City Park, over meat market, Decatur, Illinois.
March 20—d&wtf

NICKEL-PLATED heels, Merkle Patent Seamless Shoes, check, blue and basket top, side lace and button shoes, at Ferriss's Shoe Store.
Feb. 29-d&wtf

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

Burton B. Tuttle vs. Elizabeth Read, John N. Read and Sarah O. Read, his wife, Susan C. Thomas, Emma F. Roy and William K. Roy, her husband, James A. Read, Mary S. Askew and John O. Askew, her husband.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Thursday, the 24th day of April, A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, for cash, at the west door of the court house in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate, situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Commencing at the southwest corner of block No. eight (8), in Read & Co.'s Addition to the city of Decatur, thence north one hundred (100) feet, thence east one hundred and sixty (160) feet, thence south one hundred (100) feet, thence west one hundred and sixty (160) feet to the place of beginning, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., March 21st, 1879.
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Illinois
CREA & EWING, Solicitors for Complainant.
March 22 d30d

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

George Dudley, jr., et al vs. Hannah M Myers, Cora A. L. Myers, Linda K. A. Myers, Elsie A. J. Myers, Robert P. J. Myers, Andrew E. R. Myers, Lydia E. T. Myers, Benson A. L. Myers, John A. Myers, administrator of Joseph B. Myers, deceased, John A. Barnes, Henry Bishop and Hudson Burr.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Saturday, the 5th day of April, A. D 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the court house, in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: The south half of the northwest quarter of section twenty-six (26), and the south half of the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-six (26), all in township sixteen (16) north, range three (3) east of the third principal meridian, comprising in all one hundred (100) acres of land, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., March 3rd, 1879.
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
WILLIAMS, BURR & CAPEN, Solicitors for complainant. mar6w4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, County of Macon, ss.

In the Macon County Circuit Court at the May Term, A. D. 1879.

Charles H. Wingate vs. Jessie H. Boggs, Henry H. Boggs and Grace L. Boggs In Chancery Petition for Partition.

AFFIDAVIT of the non residence of Jessie H. Boggs, Henry H. Boggs and Grace L. Boggs, the above-named defendants, having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to said Jessie H. Boggs, Henry H. Boggs and Grace L. Boggs, that the complainant has heretofore filed his bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants, returnable on the first Monday of December, 1878, that said cause has been continued to the May term, A. D. 1879, for publication, and that said bill is still pending in said court and undetermined.

Now, therefore unless you, the said Jessie H. Boggs, Henry H. Boggs and Grace L. Boggs, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court of Macon county, on the first day of the next term thereof, to be holden at the Court House, in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1879, and plead, answer or demur to the said complainant's bill of complaint, the same, and the matters therein charged and stated, will be taken as confessed, and a decree entered against you according to the prayer of said bill.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.
Decatur, March 6th, A. D. 1879.
BUNN & BUNN, Solicitors for Complainant
March 8-d4w

MASTER'S SALE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, Macon County, ss.
Macon County Circuit Court.

John M. Rainey vs. Michael Phelen and Margaret Phelen Bill to foreclose mortgage

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given, that in pursuance of a decretal order entered in the above entitled cause in said court at the December term, A. D. 1878, I, John A. Brown, Master in Chancery for said court, on

Tuesday, the 25th day of March A. D. 1879,

at the hour of two o'clock p. m. of said day, shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, at the west door of the Court House in Decatur, in said county, the following described real estate situate in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, to-wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of section number twenty-one (21), in township sixteen (16) north, range two (2) east of the third principal meridian, thence west eighteen (18) chains and one (1) link to the centre of the Decatur and Edwardsville road; thence on and along said road in a northerly direction to the centre of the channel of the Sangamon river; thence north 52 degrees east five (5) chains and fifteen (15) links along said river channel; thence north sixty-five and one-fourth degrees east seven (7) chains and eighty-six (86) links to the centre of said river; thence south seventy-nine and one-fourth degrees east two (2) chains and eighty-eight (88) links; thence south forty-nine and one-half degrees east three (3) chains and fifty-five links to the centre of said river; thence south twelve (12) chains and ninety links to the beginning, containing 12 and 90-100 acres, together with all and singular the tenements and hereditaments thereunto belonging. Said premises will be sold subject to redemption.

Decatur, Ill., March 3rd, 1879.
JOHN A. BROWN, Master in Chancery for Macon county, Ill
BUNN & PARK, Solicitors for Complainant.
March 3 d3w

LEADVILLE!

"LEADVILLE AND ITS SILVER MINES," a Book telling how to find, locate and work the mines; cost of mining and living; wages to laborers; advice to those intending to go; what business enterprises will pay; with 2 large maps, one of Colorado, showing the location of Leadville, one of Leadville, showing the claims; fullest possible information. Price 50 cents. Order of your newsdealer, or send 51 cents in stamps to E. L. AYER, 54 South Throop street, Chicago
Feb. 26-d4w

Assignee's Notice.

In the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Illinois. In the matter of Christian M. Dillinger and Aaron J. Dillinger, bankrupts—In Bankruptcy.

THE undersigned hereby gives notice that the second and third general meetings of the creditors of said bankrupts will be held at Decatur, in said district, on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1879, at 10 o'clock A. M., at the office of James C. Lake, one of the registers in bankruptcy in said court, for the purposes named in the 27th and 28th sections of the Bankrupt Act of March 2d, 1867, at which time and place I will ask for my final discharge as such assignee.

ISAAC W. EHRMAN, Assignee
March 17—d10d

SHERIFF'S SALE.

BY virtue of a certain writ of execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the Circuit Court of Macon county, Illinois, in favor of John McRoberts and against Thomas Riley, I have levied upon the following described property, to-wit: Lot No. three (3) in block No. nine (9), in the South Addition to the town (now city) of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois. Taken as property of the said Thomas Riley, which I shall offer at public sale at the west entrance of the court house in Decatur, in Macon county, in said state, on the 12th day of April, A. D. 1879, at two o'clock p. m. of said day, for cash in hand, to satisfy said execution.

This 15th day of March, A. D. 1879.
M. FORSTMYER, Sheriff Macon county, Ill
LEE & WALKER, Attorneys for Plaintiff.
March 15—d3w

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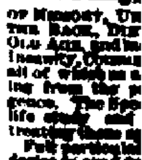
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